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Port Almanac—August 15.

Sun Rises	5.18 A M
Sun Sets	6.50 P M
Day's Length	13 h 32 m
High Water at Southport	2.33 P M
High Water at Wilmington	4.20 P M

The Weather.

U S DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N C., August 15.

Meteorological data for yesterday:

Temperature: 8 a. m., 75°; 8 p. m., 78°; maximum, 82°; minimum, 72°; mean 77°.

Rainfall for the day, 0.09; rainfall for the month up to date, 3.64.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

For North Carolina, Virginia and South Carolina: Fair; followed by showers in eastern portions; southeasterly winds.

Cotton Region Bulletin.

There was heavy rainfall yesterday in North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia. At Goldsboro the record was 1.51; Greensboro, 1.13. Cordele, Ga., reported 2.00 and Eufaula, Ala., 1.70 inches. In the Galveston district there was only a trace of rain, and very light rains only in the New Orleans, Vicksburg, Memphis and Mobile districts.

OUTLINES

The conference of Democrats favorable to the free coinage of silver began at noon yesterday, in Washington, D. C.; nearly every State in the Union was represented; the conference adjourns until 10 o'clock to-day, when the committee appointed for the purpose will report resolutions and an address to the people. —— The grand jury is making a thorough investigation of the Winston riot; it is rumored that three negroes were secretly buried by their friends, having died from the effect of wounds received in the riot. —— A father and son were taken from jail and lynched by a mob at Ellenburg, Washington. ——The property of the Whiskey Trust was sold at auction in Chicago and purchased by the re-organization committee. —— Senator Marion Butler, in his speech at Concord, made one of the severest attacks on President Cleveland ever heard in North Carolina. —— Mrs. Peter McCormick, of Baltimore, saved three persons from burning to death. —— The Chicago Grain and Provision Market. —— Spots and Futures Market. —— Record of the base ball games played yesterday. —— The Belmont-Morgan syndicate are strengthening the gold reserve. —— A case of some interest was decided by Chief Justice McIver, of the Supreme Court of South Caralina. —— New York markets: Money on call easy at 1@1½ per cent., last loan at 1 per cent. and closing offered at 1 per cent; cotton steady—middling gulf 7 13 16 cts; middling uplands 7 9-16 cts; Southern flour dull and weak—common to fair extra $2.10@2.90; good to choice $3.00@3.65; wheat—spot active; options active; No. 2 red in store and at elevator 70¾c; afloat 72¼c; corn—spot less active and steady; No. 2 at elevator 47¾c; afloat 49¼c; spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 27¼@27¾c; rosin quiet and steady—strained common to good $1 52½@1.57½.

The last time Patti sang before a London audience she wore a million dollars' worth of diamonds. Patti is pretty fair sized brilliant herself.

It seems they have an anti-saloon Sunday law in Richmond. According to the *State* it was so well observed last Sunday that even the mercury in the thermometers didn't take a drop.

A citizen of Maine, aged 112 years, and his wife, aged 97, celebrated their 75th wedding anniversary the other day, and are still quite happy although they do live in Maine.

Mr. Frederick R. Coudert, of New York, to whom it is reported the President has offered the vacant seat on the U. S. Supreme Court bench, is a brainy, big-headed and also bald-headed jurist.

Governor Evans, of South Carolina, who is a bachelor, says he might have got married sometime if a bad editor hadn't printed his picture. Ever since then he hasn't had the courage to talk business to any woman.

Judge W. I. Rabb, who has been nominated by the Democrats for Governor of Iowa, is a self-made man. At the age of seven years he lost his father, who was killed by an accident, and then had to paddle his own canoe, and take his father's place on the farm. He had grit, worked, studied and succeeded in becoming a lawyer. He was born in Iowa.

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THE MORNING STAR,
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The Only Six-Dollar Daily of its Class in the State.

Snakes seem to be electricity proof. One, a four-footer, was captured near Rochester, Pa., the other day and they concluded to electrocute it. A wire was attached to both ends and the current turned on. The snake stretched out as stiff as a bar of iron and was pronounced dead by the electrician. It was placed in the sun and in a few minutes began to crawl off as if nothing had happened. The same process was tried again, with a bigger charge of electricity, with the same result, and then the experimenters became disgusted and slew the sarpint with a club.

As a result of the ravages of the phylloxera on the vineyards of France, the estimated wine yield of this year will be about 660,000,000 gallons, against 1,030,000,000 last year. On account of the destruction by this insect the area of grape culture is constantly diminishing in that country. Twenty years ago the production of wine was three times as great as it is now. One of the results of this, too, has been a great increase in drunkenness in France, the people consuming larger quantities of more intoxicating beverages.

Col. Henry. Watterson, of Kentucky, tarried long enough in Detroit the other day to remark that he had no idea that Mr. Cleveland entertained the thought of another nomination, but that if by any concatenation of events he were nominated, he couldn't carry a single county in the United States. A marked copy of the Col's remarks should be immediately forwarded to that enthusiastic Memphis grocery man who would like to see Mr. Cleveland made President for life and his salary doubled.

The town of Pensacola, Fla., electrocutes her outlawed canines. The executioner innocently, without exciting the suspicions of the dog, places a wire band around his neck, hitches on to a dead wire, gives the dog a bath, turns on the current and the job is done at the satisfactory rate of a dog a minute, and then he persuades himself that the dog rather enjoyed the performance.

It is said that aluminum as a plating for ships will not do, as salt water rots it, but that hasn't been satisfactorily settled yet.

Ten cittizens of Illinois are prospecting in Leon country, Fla., looking for a desirable tract of land on which to locate a colony.

Jonas Lie is a Norwegian novelist, but he never stretches the prerogatives of the orthodox story letter.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

ATTENTION—Hibernians.
BASE BALL—At Hilton Park.
W. B. COOPER—Gold or silver.
MASONIC—To Wilmington Lodge.
ATTENTION—Wil. Light Infantry.
ATTENTION—Knights Golden Eagle.

NEW BUSINESS LOCALS.

FOR RENT—Large store.

LOCAL DOTS.

Items of Interest Gathered Here and There and Briefly Noted.

— There was no report yesterday as to the condition of the river at Fayetteville.

— The first meeting of the Young People's Christian Union of the First Baptist Church was held last Tuesday day night, with many pleasant features. A similar meeting will be held each week.

— An excursion train with about five hundred passengers arrived yesterday at 1.30 p. m., from Raleigh. The excursionists visited Ocean View and Carolina Beach, and will return home to-night at 5.30 o'clock.

— Messrs. B. H. and C. B. Hatch's excursion from Goldsboro and points along the line of railroad arrived here yesterday at 10.10 a. m., with 250 passengers. They left on their return at 8 o'clock p. m., well pleased with their visit.

— There are just as many people looking for houses to rent this year as ever. If you have a vacant house to rent advertise it in the STAR'S Business Locals. Only one cent a word. But no advertisement taken for less than 20 cents.

— Mr. Samuel Musgrove, an old veteran, and who was well known in this city, died yesterday at one o'clock at his home in Brunswick county, about five miles from Phœnix. He was an uncle of Police Officers J. W. Holmes and R. G. Holmes, who left last night to attend the funeral to-day.

Death of Mr. Geo. S. Taylor.

The STAR regrets to chronicle the death of Mr. Geo. S. Taylor, a faithful employe in the A. C. L. carpenter shops. He died yesterday at his residence on Front and Orange streets. He was 28 years of age, and highly respected by his numerous friends; was a member of Wilmington Lodge of Masons, No. 319, and Stonewall Jackson Castle Knights of the Golden Eagle; also, a member of Fifth Street Methodist church, where his funeral will take place to-day at 3 o'clock.

If there is anything you want, advertise for it. Is there anything you don't want? Advertise it in the Business Locals of the STAR. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for less than 20 cents. tf

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Pertinent Paragraphs Pertaining Principally to People and Pointedly Printed.

— Miss Mattie Harriss, of Page's Hotel, Sanford, is in the city.

— Mr. J. R. Ingram, of the Montgomery, Ala., *Star*, is in the city.

— Miss Nellie Picard is visiting Capt. T. J. Garvey at Rocky Mount.

— Miss Annie Platt has returned from a visit to friends at Fayetteville.

— Mr. H. G. Williamson, of Mt. Olive, was among the arrivals yesterday.

— Mr. and Mrs. John T. Garrell, Jr., have returned from a visit to Newbern.

— Miss Irene Kelly, of Mt. Olive, is visiting her sister here, Mrs. J. B. Harrell.

— Mr. J. O. Cobb, the Mt. Olive correspondent of the Goldsboro *Headlight* and the Clinton *Democrat*, was a STAR visitor yesterday.

— Miss Gertrude Jacobs who has been spending a few weeks with Miss Daisy and Athalia Pugh in New York city, has returned home.

— DuBrutz English, of Mount Olive, the eleven-year old boy who weighs 142 pounds, is here on a visit to Mr. D. Davis Hankins.

— Mr. Joseph McLaurin, of Point Caswell, was a STAR visitor yesterday. He left for home on the "good ship" *Sessoms* in the afternoon.

— Mr. Wiley T. Johnson has a position with Messrs. Katz & Polvogt, taking charge of the lace curtain, upholstery and carpet department.

— Mr. R. D. Wescott, Miss Nessie Wescott, Will Leonard, Thos. L. Leonard, and Mr. Luther Leonard and Miss Myrtle Leonard left yesterday on the steamer *Sessoms* for Kelly's Cove.]

— Miss Sallie Kelly, a handsome and popular young lady of Charlotte, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. E. Pigford, left yesterday afternoon for home much pleased with her visit to Wilmington.

— Mr. M. J. Myers, who has been for many years with the houses of Sweetser, Pembrook & Co. and E. S. Jaffray & Co., is now representing the cloak and suit firm of Freeman Brothers, 565 and 567 Broadway, New York. "Jabez" is one of the most popular solicitors in the country.

—Messrs. Jno. T. Moore, Jr., N.C.; J. F. Burbank, Jr., J. D. Broadhurst, Goldsboro; A. E. Lewis, W. E. Lewis, N. C.; A.W. McAlister, Greensboro; Wm. Conrad, Conrad; T. Shaw, Southern Pines; T. S. Percy, Raleigh; J. W. Cunningham, Sanford; M. C. Pleasants, Miss Mary Davis, Miss Lucy Pleasants, Louisburg; A. M. Clark, Southern Pines; O. L. Baker, D. J. Broadhurst, S. S. Spier, Goldsboro; Archie Allen, Raleigh; Mrs. W. R. Barker, New Hill, N. C.; C. S. Johnson, Rocky Mount; H. O. Bland, Raleigh; T. F. Mills, Whiteville; J. H. Cotton, Hope Mills, were here yesterday.

MR. W. C. CORBETT

Died While on His Way Home from Mount Airy.

The announcement of the death of Mr. W. C. Corbett yesterday was a great shock to his family and friends. He died at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon, while journeying from Mt. Airy to his home in this city. He had been in failing health for some time past, and early in the Summer went to the mountains with the hope of regaining health and strength, but finding no relief he determined to return home. Everything possible was done for his comfort by friends where he was sojourning, and a private car was kindly tendered him by Mr. J. W. Fry, general manager of the C. F. & Y. V. R. R., for his trip to Wilmington.

The deceased was a brother of Mr. M. J. Corbett and Mr. John Corbett of this city. He was born in Ireland, and came to this country thirteen years ago, and was connected with the firm of Corbett & Gore, of Wilmington, since his arrival. He was a young man of excellent qualities. Of the highest integrity and possessing a most amiable disposition, he made friends of all with whom he associated. Several years ago his health began to fail, and he took a trip to his old home in Ireland in the hope that he would be benefitted; and while there was partial improvement in his condition, it was soon seen that consumption had marked him as a victim, and he has finally succumbed to the fell destroyer.

The funeral will take place this afternoon at 4 30 o'clock, from St. Thomas' Church.

Death of Mr. Thos. Jones, of Bladen County.

Mr. Thos. Jones, a prominent citizen of Bladen county, died yesterday morning at his son-in-law's residence—Dr. J. D. Devane, near Council Station. He had been a very prominent man in politics, was 70 years old, and highly respected by all who knew him. He was an uncle of Rev. Will B. Oliver, of the First Baptist Church, in this city. He leaves a grown son, Mr. Thos. A. Jones. His funeral will take place to-day in Bladen county.

Knights Templar Conclave,

The Atlantic Coast Line will sell on August 23rd, 24th and 25th, round trip tickets to Boston, on account of Knights Templar Conclave, from Wilmington at the rate of $32.10 via all rail through, and the rate of $20.60 via New York and Fall River Line. These tickets will be limited to September 10th, and may be extended to Sebtember 30th by ticket agent of terminal lines at Boston.

Encyclopedia Britannica.

The STAR Britannica Department is still filling orders for the Encyclopædia Britannica. This is the latest and best edition of this great work. Issued in 25 volumes, bound in cloth or sheep. For full particulars read announcement on hird page, or inquire at the STAR office.

COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

Considering Complaints of Tax-payers as to Valuation of Real Property—Reductions in Valuation Made in Some Instances.

The Board of Commissioners of New Hanover county met yesterday afternoon to hear complaints of tax-payers of Wilmington township in regard to the valuation put upon their property by the tax assessors. The Board were in session until 6 o'clock p. m., and then took recess until 2.30 p. m. Friday (to-morrow). They ordered reductions in assessments as follows:

Valuation of property of Mrs. McRary, in block No. — , reduced from $18,000 to $15,000.

Valuation of property of the estate of R. E. Calder, in block 164, reduced from $4,000 to $3,500.

Valuation of property of P. C. Calder, in block 135, reduced from $3,500 to $3,000.

Valuation of property of Mrs. Kate B. Maffitt, in block 309, reduced from $500 to $400.

Valuation of property of Mrs. M. A. Marshall, in block 172, reduced from $1,500 to $1,000.

Valuation of property of A. J. Marshall, in block 173, reduced from $1,000 to $800.

Valuation of property of S. Behrends, in block 163, reduced from $1,400 to $1,200.

Valuation of property of J. H. Strauss, in block 263, reduced from $6,500 to $6,000.

Valuation of property of Roger Moore, in block 177, reduced from $2,250 to $1,800.

Valuation of property of heirs of Hancock & Daggett, in block 164, reduced from $2,400 to $2,000.

Valuation of property of John D. Bellamy, Jr., in block 256, reduced from $200 to $75.

Valuation of property of I. H. Weil and A. J. Marshall, in block 149, reduced from $300 to $100.

Valuation of property of S. H. Terry, block 278, reduced from $3,300 to $3,000.

Valuation of property of Mrs. S. A. Parmele, block 206, reduced from $3,750 to $3,500.

Valuation of property of J. L. Craig, in block 183, reduced from $1,460 to $1,000.

BASE BALL.

Wilmington vs. Raleigh—A Good Game Played Yesterday and a Better One Promised To-Day.

A very pretty game of ball was played yesterday at Hilton Park by the Raleigh base ball team and the Wilmington club. Up to the fifth inning the score stood 1 to 0, when Wilmington began to play ball, winning by a score of 11 to 0. Pearsall held his own in great shape, and good ball was played, but the Raleigh team could not hit the invincible Pearsall.

To-day Raleigh will be strengthened by a Norfolk pitcher, and a first-class game may be expected. General Coxey's coaching was a feature.

The score of yesterday's game is as follows:

WILMINGTON.

	R.	B.	H.	A.	P.	O.	E.
Graham, 3 b	0	0	1	3	0		
Watson, l f	0	2	0	0	0		
Belden, s s	0	0	3	0	0		
Furlong, 1 b	2	1	2	6	0		
Reynolds, 2 b	1	1	4	4	1		
Berry, c f	2	1	0	1	0		
Pearsall, p	3	3	3	1	0		
Zellers, c	1	1	1	6	1		
Oldham, r f	2	2	1	0	0		
Total	11	11	5	24	2		

Two-base hits, Watson. Struck out by Pearsall 9. Base on balls, Pearsall 2. Umpire, Robertson.

RALEIGH.

	R.	B.	H.	A.	P.	O.	E.
Card, r f	0	0	0	0	0		
Bryan, c	0	0	0	9	1		
Burney, s s	0	1	3	1	1		
McKee, c f	0	0	0	1	0		
Clemons, 2 b	0	1	3	0	2		
Murphey, 3 b	0	0	3	2	3		
Primrose, l f	0	0	0	1	0		
Pope, 1 b	0	0	1	1	0		
Glenn, p	0	0	3	1	0		
Total	0	2	13	24	7		

Struck out by Glenn 7. Base on balls, Glenn 8.

BURGLARS CAPTURED.

Good Work of Police Sergeant Green and Chief Melton.

Police Sergeant Green returned from Newbern last night with two negro burglars who broke into the residence of Mr. John R. Turrentine in this city last Friday night and carried off a gold watch, two suits of clothes and two pairs of shoes. Monday last Chief of Police Melton learned that the burglars were in Newbern, and he at once dispatched Sergeant Green to that city to arrest the men and bring them to Wilmington. The Newbern *Journal* of yesterday tells how Sergeant Green managed to capture the two men:

Sergeant Robt. Green, of Wilmington, came up yesterday on the track of two negro burglars. They broke into and robbed the residence of Mr. Turrentine, in Wilmington several nights ago, and getting on the track of them here, Mr. Green came up Tuesday morning to make the arrest. Not getting up with his "game" readily he made a feint of returning, going off on the freight train, but he came immediately back on the regular passenger train, and last night, with the assistance of Policeman Joseph Gaskill, the arrests of both burglars was effected. Their names are Babe Evans and Ben Bird.

A portion of the stolen property has been recovered, some of it here and some of it in Wilmington.

As the place they robbed is a residence they both stand a good chance of getting their necks broken, this offence being a capital one.

Mr. Green tells us that he has been following this kind of work for twenty years, but that he has never before experienced such a readiness to help, such friendly co-operation and such efficient service before as he did from the Newbern officers on this occasion.

Evans and Bird, the burglars, are well known in Wilmington. They are about 23 years of age. They left here Monday on an excursion train on the W., N. & N. R. R., and intended to go to Norfolk, Va. They will be arraigned this morning in the City Court.

RALEIGH NEWS BUDGET.

REPUBLICANS DOING A DEAL OF TALKING.

Secretary Coke's Condition—The Institution for the Blind—Dr. Mott in the City—Officers-elect of the State Farmers' Alliance.

[*Star Correspondence*.]

RALEIGH, N. C., August 14.

There is no change in the condition of Secretary Coke. His condition is almost alarming.

The Chamber of Commerce of Raleigh has about served its end. A call for a meeting last night to elect officers fell flat.

The meeting of the Trustees of the Institution of the Blind was fully attended. It was decided to run a farm of a hundred acres, which was granted the Institution by the Legislature of '89, and which has been standing idle. It costs the Institution about $1,900 for vegetables and farm products. By running this farm the directors propose to save a good portion of this amount. Miss May Crow, of this city, was elected assistant in the Kindergarden Department. An executive committee consisting of Messrs. J. A. Biggs, Prof. Chas. McIver and Hugh Morson were elected.

Major Grimes, who was steward of the institution for a number of years, was defeated on the grounds that he had disobeyed orders of the trustees, so it is said. The story goes that the trustees ordered Mr. Grimes to advertise the contract for wood, and let it to the lowest bidder. Mr. Grimes refused to do this. One of the trustees tells me that it was let out at a larger cost than it should have been.

Some Republicans have been doing a good deal of talking. One is quoted as saying that in the distribution of offices, the Populists will be awarded the speakership of the House and the Lieutenant-Governor. According to our Supreme Court, the Populists will have the lawmakers of the land. Any act which these two dignitaries attach their signatures to is law.

Dr. Jno. B. Carr, son of the Governor, is no better. His condition is considered quite critical.

Adjutant-General Cameron received advices from Winston that no further trouble is anticipated. The gatling gun from Charlotte will be returned Thursday.

Maj. Jack Hayes, United States army, has gone to the western part of the State.

The business of A. Williams & Co. has been closed up entirely. The trustees have brought suit against the creditors in order to reach a settlement. Major Harrell and other creditors made claims which the trustees did not desire to take the responsibility of settling up.

Dr. J. J. Mott, the "Iron Duke," is in the city. Congressman Sibley and Senator Butler are expected to arrive here this afternoon and remain overnight.

A special train will be run to Cary to-morrow from Raleigh. Five thousand people are expected to attend.

A freak, in the shape of chicken, was hatched out here yesterday. The chicken was feathered as well as young chickens are. It had four legs and four wings, also a double back. The head was natural.

The following officers were elected at the meeting of the State Alliance in Cary for the ensuing year: President, Dr. Cyrus Thompson, of Onslow; Vice President, John Graham, of Ridgeway; Lecturer, J. T. B. Hoover, of Wilson. W. S. Barnes, of Raleigh, was re-elected Secretary. Other officers elected were: Dr. V. N. Sewell, of Moore, Steward; Rev. P. H. Massey, of Durham, Chaplain; George T. Lane, of Guilford, Doorkeeper; James E. Lyon, of Durham, Assistant Doorkeeper; A. D. K. Wallace, of Rutherford, Sergeant-at-Arms; T. Ivey, of Wake, Business Agent; N. C. English, of Randolph, and James M. Mewborne, of Lenoir, members of the Executive Committee; Dr. J. E. Pearson, of Wayne, delegate to the National Alliance; J. W. Denmark, of Wake, alternate to the National Alliance.

Burglaries.

A burglar entered the residence of Mr. Duncan B. Holland, corner of Fourth and Market streets, Tuesday night. Entering a bed-room noiselessly, the thief took from a dressing-case and bureau several valuable articles of jewelry. The occupants were awakened by a noise but thought nothing of it, and next morning found their valuables missing.

Monday night last, a burglar attempted to enter the residence of Miss Carrie White, on Market between Eighth and Ninth streets, but was driven away by some one awakening and giving the alarm. About fifteen minutes later Mr. Jno. R. Turrentine, Jr., who lives next door, was aroused by some one on the back porch of his house. He fired a pistol twice at the man—a negro—but did not hit him, and the fellow jumped the fence and escaped.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

Wilmington & Weldon R. R.—1 bale cotton, 11 casks spirits turpentine, 25 bbls tar, 25 bbls crude turpentine.

Wilmington, Columbia & Augusta R. R.—47 casks spirits turpentine, 180 bbls rosin, 79 bbls tar, 6 bbls crude turpentine.

Schooner Minnie G.—8 casks spirits turpentine, 52 bbls rosin.

Total receipts—Cotton, 1 bale; spirits turpentine, 119 casks; rosin, 534 bbls; tar, 127 bbls; crude turpentine, 31 bbls.

APPOINTMENTS WILMINGTON DISTRICT.

W. S. Bone, P. E.

Magnolia circuit, Magnolia, August 17 and 18

Wilmington, Bladen Street, night, August 18

Carver's Creek circuit, Carver's Creek, August 24 and 25

Bladen circuit, Antioch, August 31 and September 1

Kenansville circuit, Richlands, September 7 and 8

Brunswick circuit, Shalotte Camp, September 14 and 15

Clinton circuit, Johnson's, September 21 and 22.

Cool Wave.

Weather Observer Graham says: "The high area in the Northwest is bringing a cool wave with it, very decided falls in temperature being noted in that section; it will move across the country tempering the heat in the East to a great extent during the next two or three days. The temperature has remained nearly stationary elsewhere.

SCORCHING CORBETT.

A SCATHING CRITICISM OF PUGILIST CORBETT.

Nothing But Disgust at His Philadelphia Performance Last Saturday Night—His Conduct and That of His Friends in Attacking Fitzsimmons When Almost Alone Severely Denounced.

[*New York Advertiser*.]

There was nothing but disgust the most pronounced felt for Corbett—Gentleman Jim, the man who poses as having elevated the prize ring—by all who read or heard of his beastly conduct at Green's Hotel, the resort of Philadelphia's so-called sporting men, on Saturday night. The idea of this man who has travelled on the reputation of always being gentlemanly, who is such a "refined" prize fighter that he employs a private secretary, entering a hotel with his gang of rubbers-down, sparring partners, backers and relatives—the faithful private secretary included, present probably to record the proceedings—and while under the influence of wine—or was it rum—wine is scarcely productive of such pugnacity, and besides Corbett is economically as well as gentlemanly inclined—deliberately picking a quarrel with a man who has the presumption to challenge his title to the championship, and finding the poor fellow alone and with no friends near "sics-on" his own choice gang, who, obedient to their employer's signal, seize the man and pinion him while this "Gentleman Jim" deliberately spits in his face. And Corbett is quite proud of the feat, too, at least that is the impression one derives from the tone of the interview had with the "champion" after the expectoration process.

Eugene Field, at the time that Corbett made complaint because his prize-fighting show was prohibited on the Midway Plaisance by the World's Fair management, wrote of the champion that there was absolutely nothing in the man to be admired. That he was a hypocrite and sought popularity by posing as a gentleman, but had nothing gentlemanly about him. That he took credit to himself for not being a drinking man, whereas, as a matter of fact, he was "too mean to get drunk."

Most of those who read this excoriation thought, at the time, that Field was too harsh on the champion, but on the top of Corbett's recent conduct, and especially that of Saturday night, they must feel that, after all, the accomplished Chicago newspaper man evidently read through "Gentleman Jim" and detected the real man underneath the slight coating of veneer which had hidden him from every one else.

Fitzsimmons, in the estimation of some people, did not come out of the brawl with the credit that he, as a fighting man, should have secured from it. They think it was his part to "do up" Corbett, rush in and "smash" him on the head with a chair or anything else. In a word, that he should have revenged himself for the expectoration by some means or other if it cost him his life. Sullivan, McAuliffe and other fighters would have done so, they claim, and that Fitz did not argues in their minds that he is "yellow."

True, but then Corbett knows his marks, and does not pick quarrels with men who have followers or with whom the mob sympathize. It will be remembered that little Jack McAuliffe once chased this pompadour-haired champion out of the Coleman House and across the road to another hotel, calling him all the time a "bum prize fighter" and other choice names which come so readily to the lips of professional pugilists on such occasions. Corbett at that time, being minus of his gang, it should be remembered, did not resent McAuliffe's words, but retired as quickly as he could, apologetically saying: "I am no bar-room fighter, and I want no trouble with you here."

Nor has Corbett even the courage of Mitchell. The latter, accompanied only by Slavin, deliberately went after Corbett at the time the latter was extremely popular and he (Mitchell) correspondingly unpopular. In Miner's bar-room, where Corbett was surrounded by friends and had the crowd's sympathy, Mitchell walked coolly up to him and, despite the fact that he knew by doing so he was taking his life in his hands, called Corbett all the vile names he could lay his tongue to. The champion did not attempt to resent them, but contented himself with saying that he was "too much of a gentleman to fight in a bar-room."

He was severely criticised for this at at the time, but afterward all acknowledged the good sense he showed by not lowering himself to Mitchell's level. His claim to gentlemanliness was apparently proved and all soon began to praise him. Saturday night's behavior was in strong contrast. But circumstances alter cases. Fitzsimmons was alone and the mob dislikes him even more than it does Corbett. He is a harmless, inoffensive fellow, and does not seek trouble; hence Corbett's corresponding courage. The whole affair was most disgraceful to all concerned, and just why both the principals and the whole gang were not arrested is hard to understand.

RUTHERFORD COLLEGE.

Local Ministers' Conference—Address of Welcome and Response.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RUTHERFORD COLLEGE, N. C., Aug. 14.—The local ministers' conference met at 8 p. m. to-day, with Rev. W. P. Williams, president, in the chair. Rev. Wm. E. Abernathy, president of Rutherford College, delivered the address of welcome, and was responded to by President Williams. The president's annual address was then delivered in excellent style.

The speaking was all in first class order. The college is open and doing well. The prospects seem good for a splendid conference. The absence of good Dr. Abernathy's face is sadly felt, but he left noble sons to carry on his work.

One Cent a Word.

Hereafter advertisements to go in our "Business Locals" department will be charged one cent per word for each insertion; but no advertisement, however short, will be taken for less than 20 cents.

This is a reduction from former rates and it is also a convenience to advertisers, who can calculate the exact cost of their advertisements, which must be paid for always in advance.

Housekeepers who want servants are in the habit of supplying their needs from the STAR'S want column. Are you looking for a situation? The STAR'S want column will bring you the best results. One cent a word. But no ad. taken for less than 20 cents. tf

Buy No Others.

All persons are hereby cautioned against buying copies of the STAR offered for sale on the streets unless, in every case, the words "For Transient Sale" are stamped on the margin of the paper. Should any newsboy or carrier offer for sale a copy of the STAR not so stamped he should be promptly reported at this office.

DIED.

CORBETT—At 3 30 p. m. Wednesday, August 14th, W. C. CORBETT, aged 30 years.

Funeral from the residence, No. 119 South Fourth street, to St. Thomas' Church at 4.30 o'clock this afternoon, thence to Oakdale Cemetery.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Attention

WILMINGTON LIGHT INFANTRY! You are hereby ordered to appear at your Armory in full dress uniform at 3.30 p. m., to attend the funeral of our late comrade W. C. Corbett.
By order of Capt. Northrop
aug 15 1t GEO. SLOAN, First Sergeant.

Wilmington Lodge No. 319, A. F. & A. M.

BRETHREN—You are requested to assemble at your Lodge room this (Thursday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock, to attend the funeral of Brother G. S. Taylor, deceased. By order W. M.
H. G. FENNELL,
aug 15 1t Secretary.

Stonewall Jackson Castle No. 2, Knights of the Golden Eagles.

ATTENTION SIR KNIGHTS—You are hereby notified to appear at Castle Hall this afternoon promptly at 2 o'clock, to attend the funeral of our late Brother, G. S. Taylor, which will be held at Fifth Street M. E. Church at 3 o'clock.
Members of Concordia Castle No. 1 respectfully invited to attend. By order of Vice Chief.
J. A. ORRELL,
aug 15 1t Master of Records.

Attention, Hibernians.

You are hereby notified to assemble at your Hall this (Thursday) afternoon, August 15th, at 3.30 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral of our late brother member Wm. C. Corbett.
By order of the President.
WM. FLANAGAN,
aug 15 1t Secretary.

Young Printer Wanted.

A YOUNG PRINTER WHO IS WELL ADvanced, and wishes to complete his trade, may secure employment as a "Two-Thirder," if well recommended, by applying at the
STAR OFFICE.
aug 14 3t

Gold or Silver.

We have a complete line heavy GROCERIES at bottom prices, for gold, silver or paper. Call when in town.

W. B. COOPER,
Wholesale Grocer and Commission Merchant,
226 North Water Street,
aug 15 tf D&W Wilmington, N. C.

RALEIGH
VS.
WILMINGTON,
—AT—
Hilton Park To-day.

Game called at 3 o'clock sharp.

Admission 25c. Ladies free and especially invited. aug 14 tf

Administrator's Sale.

THE UNDERSIGNED WILL EXPOSE FOR sale, by public auction, on Monday, the 19th day of August, at 11 o'clock a. m., in front of the residence of Jackson Johnson, in Town Creek Township, Brunswick county, the personal property of the late D. D. Barber, deceased, consisting of 150 to 200 bushels corn, 150 to 200 bushels oats, 200 bushels cotton seed, grist mill, 2 mules, cattle, hogs and household and kitchen furniture, farming implements, etc.
Terms of sale, six months time with approved security.
Any one desiring information can obtain the same from my attorney, E. K. Bryan.
A. M. WILLIAMS,
aug 14 5t Administrator of D. D. Barber.

THE CAROLINA MUTUAL
Fire Insurance Company,
of Charlotte, N. C.

The CAROLINA MUTUAL is a strong NORTH CAROLINA Company. It is, however, a stock company, and issues absolutely non-participating and non-assessable policies. Its mutual feature consists in a charter provision, that one-third of its directors must be POLICY-HOLDERS who are NOT stockholders elected by the POLICY-HOLDERS; this is a very strong point, the policy-holders who have great interests at stake, have a share in the management of the Company, and will always know its condition. Better than this, the CAROLINA MUTUAL deposits all premiums received at this agency to their credit with the WILMINGTON SAVINGS AND TRUST COMPANY. This makes it practically a local company. The directors of the company are:

P. M. BROWN,
Of Brown, Weddington & Co., Wholesale Hardware.
E. B. SPRINGS,
Of E. B. Springs & Co., Fertilizers and Wagons.
M. P. PEGRAM,
Cash'r First Nat'l Bank of Charlotte.
B. D. HEATH,
Of Heath Brothers, Bankers.
SAM'L E. WHITE,
President Fort Mill Man'f'g Co.
A. C. SUMMERVILLE,
Lumber and Real Estate.
J. T. ANTHONY,
Wholesale Provisions and Grain.
JOHN W. MILLER,
Real Estate and Cotton Broker.
HERIOT CLARKSON,
Of Clarkson & Duls, Att'ys-at-Law.

These gentlemen stand among the wealthiest and most successful business men of North Carolina, and their names are a guarantee of the Company's honesty, conservatism and success. We heartily recommend the Company to the property owners of Wilmington. We also represent other good companies, and do a general insurance business. Come to see us.

STEDMAN & WORTH,
Resident Agents.
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THE MORNING STAR,
THE OLDEST
DAILY NEWSPAPER
IN NORTH CAROLINA.

The Only Six-Dollar Daily of its Class in the State.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

The Final Sale.

THE DISCONTINUANCE OF OUR GENERAL 20 PER CENT. DISCOUNT AND THE BEGINNING OF OUR

Final Sale

Takes Place the 1st of August.

We have only a few days in which to close out the balance of our stock. The GREAT DISCOUNT SALE relieved us of the bulk of it, but the rest must go and we call it a

Necessity Sale.

It is a final one also, and you have only a very short time in which to take advantage of it.

This will be a HARVEST WEEK for the

Bargain Gatherers.

This sale is different from all others and the various lots put forward increase in real value WHILE THE PRICES GET STEADILY SMALLER.

Read the Items.

Figured Cashmeres and Bedford Cords, all wool, only 25c, worth 60c to $1.00.

Challies, all wool, 8c a yard, worth 20c a yard.

1,000 yards evening shades in Cotton Fabrics, as pretty as Crepons, only 5c a yard.

5,000 yards Cotton Crash, only 3c a yard.

1,000 yards Elastic at 1c a yard.

1,000 yards Veiling at 10c a yard, all Silk.

100 boxes Soap—Tropical Boquet, three cakes in each box, only 15c a box, worth 25c.

5,000 cakes Castile Soap, three cakes for 5c.

Bixby's Shoe Polish at 5c a bottle.

1,000 yards Lace at 5c a yard, worth 15 and 20c.

200 Corsets, including "Warner's Health," "Bridal," "Diamond" and other well known brands, only 50c a pair.

500 Gent's Suspenders at 25c, worth 35c.

100 Silk Belts at 10c each.

A good Machine Cotton, two spools for 5c.

100 yards all Silk Grenadines at 75c a yard, worth $1.50.

All our 50c Waist Silks at 40c yard.

We will move to No. 29 North Front street, Store formerly occupied by Mr. P. Heinsberger.

A. D. BROWN,
Successor to BROWN & RODDICK
No. 9 NORTH FRONT ST.
aug 1 tf

SPECIAL SALE.
200 Pairs
Ladies' 75c Pat. Leather Tips Oxford Slippers at 50c.

100 Pairs
HEAVY PEB. GRAIN SLIPPERS
FOR HOME WEAR AT
50 CENTS.
FORMER PRICE 75 CENTS.

No old stock, but this season's goods that we are going to close out to make room.

Geo. R. French & Sons.
aug 13 tf

Snuff, Tobacco and Cigars

Of various brands and prices.
Soap, Starch, Lye, Potash,
Baking Powders, Soda, Milk,
Flour, Meal, Grits,

PUBLISHER'S ANNOUNCEMENT.

THE MORNING STAR, the oldest daily newspaper in North Carolina, is published daily except Monday, at $6 00 per year, $3 00 for six months, $1 50 for three months, 50 cents for one month, to mail subscribers. Delivered to city subscribers at the rate of 12 cents per week for any period from one week to one year.

ADVERTISING RATES (DAILY).—One square one day, $1 00; two days, $1 75; three days, $2 50; four days, $3 00; five days, $3 50; one week, $4 00; two weeks, $6 50; three weeks, $8 50; one month, $10 00; two months $17 00; three months, $24 00; six months, $40 00; twelve months, $80 00. Ten lines of solid Nonpareil type make one square.

THE WEEKLY STAR is published every Friday morning at $1 00 per year, 50 cents for six months, 25 cents for three months.

All announcements of Balls, Festivals, Balls, Hops, Picnics, Society Meetings, Political Meetings, &c., will be charged regular advertising rates.

Notices under head of "City Items" 20 cents per line for first insertion, and 15 cents per line for each subsequent insertion.

Advertisements discontinued before the time contracted for has expired charged transient rates for time actually published.

No advertisements inserted in Local Columns at any price.

All announcements and recommendations of candidates for office, whether in the shape of communications or otherwise, will be charged as advertisements.

Payments for transient advertisements must be made in advance. Known parties, or strangers with proper reference, may pay monthly or quarterly, according to contract.

Remittances must be made by Check, Draft, Postal Money Order, Express or in Registered Letter. Only such remittances will be at the risk of the publisher.

Communications, unless they contain important news or discuss briefly and properly subjects of real interest, are not wanted; and, if acceptable in every other way, they will invariably be rejected if the real name of the author is withheld.

Notices of Marriage or Death, Tributes of Respect Resolutions of Thanks, &c., are charged for as ordinary advertisements, but only half rates when paid for strictly in advance. At this rate 50 cents will pay for a simple announcement of Marriage or Death.

An extra charge will be made for double-column or triple-column advertisements.

Advertisements inserted once a week in Daily will be charged $1 00 per square for each insertion. Every other day, three-fourths of daily rate. Twice a week, two-thirds of daily rate.

Contract advertisers will not be allowed to exceed their space or advertise anything foreign to their regular business without extra charge at transient rates.

Advertisements kept under the head of "New Advertisements" will be charged fifty per cent. extra.

Advertisements to follow reading matter, or to occupy any special place, will be charged extra according to the position desired.

The Morning Star.

By WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, AUG. 15, 1895

FARMS FOR SALE.

It is said that the iron trade is a barometer which fairly indicates the decline or improvement in business, which is doubtless true as iron is so largely used and for so many and varied purposes that its increased use is always indicative of increased activity in business and of increased ability to buy. Iron is, therefore, among the first commodities to feel a depression in the industries and among the first to feel returning activity. But this may be only temporary, for the returning activity might receive a check from any cause, and a business boom that looked all right and promised much might have the bottom knocked out of it as suddenly as it is sometimes knocked out of mining, oil or real estate booms, of which we have occasional illustrations in this land of booms and boomers.

As a sure and never failing index of bedrock prosperity there is no better indication than the condition of the farmer and the demand for and price of farming lands. When the farmer gets a good price for what he has to sell he not only prospers, but this is proof positive of a better condition among consumers and of a greater ability to buy the products of the farm and pay liberally for them. And when this is the case farming lands, especially those within convenient distance of transportation by water or rail, always command a fair price, because they are regarded as a safe and profitable investment.

As a matter of fact land in the South has more than held its own compared with other sections of the country, but this is owing mainly to the fact that the South has been attracting much attention as an inviting section for the immigrant, and land in some of the States has been much sought by Western farmers who have become tired of the long and rigorous winters and discouraged by the oft recurring droughts which have made the growing of any kind of crops a very precarious business. In addition to this land is much cheaper on the average in the South than in the East or West, while in some sections it may at times be bought at comparatively nominal prices.

This being the case we would naturally expect to see land increasing considerably in value in this section, not in limited areas as it may have done, but generally. But this is not the case. We have not seen the returns from other States but the assessors' returns for the State of Georgia show that the taxable value of property in that State has fallen between $25,000,000 and $30,000,000 within the past two years, yet Georgia is one of the most progressive and prosperous of the Southern States.

Tennessee is a much favored State in many respects, with good soil, good climate, fair transportation by rail and otherwise, good mineral and timber resources, and good markets for farm products within easy reach. That is a State in which farming lands ought to be in demand and sell well. The Knoxville *Tribune* publishes an advertisement of a real estate agency from which we clip the following:

"We have some valuable farms that have either been foreclosed, or are about to be closed out for debt. The prices at which these places are offered will cause great loss to the owners, but their misfortunes will be your gain if you purchase."

From curiosity we ran over the descriptive list embracing several tracts, and found that they were all improved farms, with comfortable houses and other necessary buildings on them, and all near towns and near railroads, and the only reason for offering them for sale was because the owners who had given mortgages on them were not able to lift the mortgages and had to let them go.

We know that one swallow doesn't make a Summer, nor one whiff of snow a Winter, but when you see one swallow you may safely conclude that there are other swallows not far off, and when you see one whiff of snow you may also conclude that there is more snow coming. These are not isolated instances of farms being sold at a sacrifice to pay debts. We commented not long ago on the sale of several tracts of land in Pennsylvania for about one-fifth the price they would have brought five years ago, and Pennsylvania is a rich and "prosperous" State.

Aside from the fact that farming, as an industry, has not been prosperous for some years, there is another reason for the decline in the value of farming lands and that is the scarcity of money and the inability of farmers to borrow it on long time by simply paying the interest as they could do if money were more abundant and we had a banking system similar to our old State banks which would better meet the wants of the people and afford them better accommodation than they can get under the present system which, for the farmer, is no banking system at all. This country will never be really and permanently prosperous until such a system is re-established and the people of the country are freed from the grip of the close corporations which now control the volume of currency.

MINOR MENTION.

England is a gold country. The gold monometallists of this country are constantly holding her before us as the model in finances which we should pattern after, as we have been doing for over twenty years. They profess to be influenced in their opposition to the free coinage of silver by the interest they take in the farmer and the wage earner who, they say, would be the first to suffer from a "depreciated currency," and yet it is a remarkable fact that there is scarcely a country in Europe where the agricultural industry is more depressed, or the condition of the laboring masses worse than it is in England. During all the agitation of tariff reform one of the loudest pleas against a reduction of the protective tariff was that it would put the American workman at the mercy of "the pauper labor of Europe," but especially of England as that was the country against which we had most to compete, that is we had to protect our workmen from the pauper labor of the gold standard country which was held up to us as the model to go by. There is no country in Europe where there are more or greater labor strikes than in England, where, if the beneficent effects of gold monometallism are anything to compare with what the gold advocates in this country represent them to be, there should be no strikes. When we look across the channel into France, we find a different state of affairs. We find silver there in general circulation, it is paid out by the Treasury, it is a full legal tender for all debts, and instead of sneering at it and trying to discredit it everybody stands by it, and as a result France is the most prosperous country in Europe, and her people as a mass are financially in the best condition and the most contented.

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From any side you view it Japan is one of the most remarkable nations of this or any other age. As far as our reading goes the history of the world presents no counterpart in wonderful self-resource and marvellous progress. Her people are not only a people of unbounded self-reliance and self-confidence, but a people of astonishing genius, with a capacity to do, and to do quickly and well, what any other people can do. There has been a good deal of talk about opening up a market in Japan for American machinery, but a correspondent of the Chicago *Record*, who writes very instructive and interesting letters about those very interesting people, says we may as well abandon all thought of that, for the Japanese can beat us making our own machinery and can duplicate so accurately that it would be impossible to tell the difference between the original and the imitation of anything from a jews-harp to a Hoe press. There is no international patent law in Japan, and no patent is protected by law, unless it be the invention of a native, and the result is that everything in the way of machinery or other useful implements, even to toys, for which there is any demand or use, which is sent there from other countries, is at once reproduced and sold at from 25 to 50 per cent. less than the imported original could be sold for, and in order to make the cheat complete they put the names and trade marks of the foreign makers on them in identically the same style that they do. They make everything except our agricultural implements, and the reason that they don't make these is because they prefer their own. They imitate even our patent medicines, bottled beer, condensed milk, canned meats, and scores of other things. In fact, it is hard to tell what they don't imitate, and then proudly exhibit their work at their fairs.

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The following from the St. Louis *Republic*, shows how the pig iron industry of the South is spreading out and finding markets in this and in other countries. Referring to a report just issued of the operations by the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad Company, it says:

"During the year ending June 30 this one company alone produced and marketed 973,000 tons of pig iron. Shipments were made to 88 States and the District of Columbia, the list including Maine in the extreme East, as well as every other New England State, California, Oregon and Washington on the Pacific Coast, and all the Lake States. The only States not represented in the distribution were Nevada and five in the Northwest—Montana, Idaho, Wyoming and the two Dakotas.

"Rolling mills and foundries in Ohio were the chief purchasers, taking nearly one-fourth of the product. About 77,000 tons were shipped to New York and New Jersey together, nearly 40,000 to Illinois, and about 30,000 to Missouri. Some 2,800 tons went to Maine and 15,000 to the Pacific Coast.

"Nor was the business confined to the United States. Canada took over 2,000 and Mexico 857 tons. Among the other foreign purchasers were Nova Scotia, Italy and even England—250 tons being shipped to the last named country."

CURRENT COMMENT

— When the Wilson bill, as amended in the Senate, finally passed, its friends, from the President to the plain voters, were scarce. Since its post hoc, if not its propter hoc, has been an increase of wages and employment, supplemented with the biggest corn crop of the century, it has vindicated itself without the aid of enthusiastic friends. Thomas B. Reed would better not monkey with it next winter.—*St. Louis Republic, Dem.*

— Secretary Morton believes that the usefulness of the Weather Bureau may be enlarged by including in its observations not merely the changes in the weather conditions, but the relation between such changes and the public health, and he has, therefore, placed a medical expert in charge of the subject of sanitary climatology, in the hope that disease waves may be as accurately chartered as heat waves now are. That there is a close relation between climatic conditions and the general health is certain; and that there is also a connection between heat waves and crime waves has long been believed. The researches of the new bureau cannot fail to throw some interesting light on the subject.—*Phil, Record, Dem.*

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Charlotte *Observer*: Mr. A. H. Williams, whose crop was so badly damaged in the Mallard Creek hail storm, says his cotton and corn were riddled. The hail fell two inches deep. The damage was at least $150.

— Fayetteville *Telegram*: We exceedingly regret to chronicle the death of Mrs. M. J. Carroll, of this city, which occurred Saturday at Clinton. Mrs. Carroll had been in bad health for several months, and had gone to Clinton in the hope that she would be benefitted thereby.

— Raleigh *Visitor*: During the twelve months ended June 30th last no less than 240 illicit distilleries were seized in this district. Collector Simmons has an excellent force and has done his duty well. This is perhaps the best record of seizures ever made in the district.

— Raleigh *Visitor*: About a month ago Mrs. R. H. Lewis, wife of one of Raleigh's most valued citizens, returned here from Morehead City sick with a fever. For some days her condition was critical, then she rallied and convalescence seemed certain, but there was a relapse last week. This afternoon at 1.45 o'clock she died.

— Statesville *Landmark*: Saturday afternoon Marshall N. Kirkman, who is a weaver at the cotton mill, attempted to kill himself by taking laudanum. About 7 o'clock in the evening he staggered towards the railroad crossing at the cotton mill and finally lay down near the track. Those who noticed him were of the opinion that he was drunk, but as he does not drink it was thought best to investigate. Several neighbors went to him and on examination soon saw that he was not drunk. Being aroused from the stupor into which he had fallen, he told those about him that he had taken half a bottle of laudanum for the purpose of putting himself out of his misery, and that he expected to die. His father, Francis Kirkman, came up about this time and with the assistance of friends managed to keep him awake by walking him until restoratives could be administered.

TWINKLINGS

— Boudoir Badinage—Eunice—There's no marrying or giving in marriage in Heaven.

Madge—Don't take such a hopeless view of your case.—*Life.*

— Persons of a very fair order of intelligence will brazenly occupy the piazza of a Summer hotel with books in their hands which they would apologize for with a feeling of shame in their own homes.—*Providence Journal.*

— The Cause of It.—Stryker seems to be working pretty hard in his campaign. I never saw a man look so pale.

It is from loss of blood. Since he started to run for office his heart has been bleeding for the workingman every time he makes a speech.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

Mrs. J. P. Bell, Ossawatomie, Kan. wife of the editor of The Graphic, the leading local paper of Miami county, writes ***"I was troubled with heart disease*** for six years, severe palpitations, shortness of breath, together with such extreme nervousness, that, at times I would walk the floor nearly all night. We consulted the best medical talent. ***They said there was no help for me,*** that I had organic disease of the heart for which there was no remedy. I had read your advertisement in The Graphic and a year ago, as a last resort, tried one bottle of ***Dr. Miles' New Cure for the Heart,*** which convinced me that there was true merit in it. I took three bottles each of the Heart Cure and Restorative Nervine and ***It completely cured me. I sleep*** well at night, my heart beats regularly and I have no more smothering spells. I wish to say to all who are suffering as I did; there's relief untold for them if they will only give your remedies just one trial."

Dr. Miles Heart Cure is sold on a positive guarantee that the first bottle will benefit. All druggists sell it at $1, 6 bottles for $5, or it will be sent, prepaid, on receipt of price by the Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure
Restores Health

Dr. Miles' Pain Pills are guaranteed to stop Headache in 20 minutes. "One cent a dose."

For sale by all Druggists.
June 15 1y sa tu th change

THE DRIVER HAD A MATCH.

And the Passenger Had a Cigar, In Fact Several of Them.

A prosperous looking business man boarded the front platform of a crosstown car, and drawing a well filled cigar case from his pocket selected a choice looking Havana. The driver "sized up" the man and the cigar case, and his mouth began to water. The smoker, after biting off the end of his cigar, began fumbling for a match. Failing to find one, he turned to the driver and asked him if he had a match.

"Yes, sir," responded the driver, with alacrity. "Here you are, sir."

"Thank you," said the business man, lighting his cigar and sending the fragrant smoke wafting across the driver's face.

"Very convenient to have matches around, sir. I allers makes a point of carrying 'em."

"Indeed?"

"Yes; so many gentlemen pull out a cigar, and then find they ain't got a match."

Puff, puff and silence.

"I am quite a smoker myself. 'Course I can't smoke on the car, but then I enjoy it all the more when I get off."

"I suppose so," said the smoker absentmindedly.

"Many gentlemen makes a point of giving me a cigar, especially when they rides reg'lar. I ain't had my after dinner smoke yet."

"Oh," said the business man in a preoccupied manner.

"Yes, sir; I allers carry matches, as I said before, 'cause when a gentleman has a cigar and no light he allus seems so thankful for it. Generally gives me a cigar too. Seems kinder fair to exchange a cigar for a match, 'cause the weed ain't no good without a light."

"Ah," said the smoker, evidently busy in his mind with something connected with business.

The driver looked despairingly at him and after clearing his throat said:

"You don't happen to have another cigar in your pocket, do you, sir?"

"Certainly I have—two or three," said the business man testily. "But what has that to do with what you have been talking about?"

The rest of the journey was made in silence.—New York Tribune.

SONG BIRDS.

Something About the Feathered Warblers of Different Countries.

India has the jocose bulbuls, often called nightingales from their remarkably sweet voices. The Hindoos train them to sit on their hands and be carried about the bazaars. The black faced thrush is a very fine songster and can imitate almost everything he hears.

The white eyebrowed or spectacled laughing thrush has a loud, powerful song and some melodious notes. He is sometimes called the greater Peking nightingale or Japanese mocking bird.

The Japanese robin is a pretty bird to look at, and very lively in his motions, but is overrated as a singer, his notes resembling our Baltimore oriole's, only shriller, with little variation.

Australia has the piping crow, which is more of a shrike than a true crow. His song is rich and varied, the notes resembling a flute. He can be taught to speak and imitate many birds as well.

From Africa are shipped large numbers of little birds to this country called African singing finches. The plumage is handsome and often very odd. They lack voice, only one, the strawberry finch, having a song of any power. They are cunning, however, and pretty to have in an aviary. A gentleman in New York has an aviary cage containing some 35 varieties of small birds, and among them many African finches. As one of the canaries sings a small finch will fly to his side, and placing his head against the singer's breast listen closely until the canary drives him away.

A weaver bird with a thick red bill, in this same happy family, will take all the threads given him and weave a close network down the side of the cage and out on the perches. His owner says that if he would give him enough material the bird would weave until he shut out the daylight.—Philadelphia Times.

Wonders of Minute Animal Life.

The following, which might very appropriately bear the heading of "A Wonder of Wonders," is from the pen of Sir Robert S. Ball, F. R. S., astronomer royal of Ireland: "The microscope teaches us that there are animals so wonderfully minute that if a thousand of them were ranked abreast they could easily swim, without being thrown out of order, through the eye of the finest gambric needle ever made. Yet each of the minute creatures is a highly organized number of particles, capable of moving about, of finding and devouring food and of behaving in all respects as becomes an animal as distinguished from a fragment of unorganized matter." The human mind is utterly incapable of realizing the structure of these little creatures and of fully appreciating their marvelous adaptation to the life they are destined to lead.

The Secret of French Cooking.

The gentle heat is said to be the secret of the superior delicacy and richness of French cooking. With a gentle heat and tight covers we may have just the amount of juice we like in our vegetables. A glance will decide this, or perhaps the ear, if the hand at the same time rests on the cover. Many kinds of meat may be cooked in this way to the best advantage. A rump steak, three or four inches thick, kept closely covered and cooked in its own juices alone, will be far more tender than when put into the oven, and this without basting and without fat, the latter having been trimmed off closely.—New York World.

Frances Power Cobbe.

Frances Power Cobbe is one of the most remarkable women of the Victorian era. She may indeed be described as the oldest new woman now living on the planet and is in many ways a kind of progenitor of the new woman of whom we hear so much nowadays. Throughout the lifetime of a generation hers has been the most eloquent voice, the most strenuously raised to plead the claims of our inarticulate brethren in fur and feather, and no one has done more to give force and volume to the movement in favor of dumb animals, which she truly declares to be a fresh divine impulse of mercy stirring in thousands of human hearts. Her campaign against vivisection has extended over several decades.—Exchange.

Perspiration on Noses.

I ran across a new superstition the other day. It is the distrust the Virginia negroes have of persons who perspire on their noses. A friend of mine has had a really estimable maid for several months, but the other day the mistress found the maid on the eve of leaving, and all because she had seen beads of perspiration on my friend's nose, and people with noses of that kind are "mean," a word which to the Virginia negro signifies all that is undesirable, untrustworthy and evil.—Washington Post.

Not His Kind.

"Here's the latest thing in watches," said the dealer—"a warranted waterproof case."

"I believe," said Mudge, "that one that could be soaked would be better suited to my needs."—Indianapolis Journal.

THAT MAN UP A TREE

HOW HE TRANSFERRED A HEAVY RESPONSIBILITY TO DR. PALEN.

The Only Wild Bear the Doctor Ever Saw In the Woods Confronted Him When He Went to Help His Fellow Man—There Was a Hard Fight.

"I never saw but one wild bear in the woods in my life, and I lived in a backwoods locality until I was nearly 30," said Dr. Palen of Troy. "Not that there weren't plenty of bears in our woods, but I never went out looking for any and didn't happen to run against any in my travels. This particular bear and I had a fight, and a good one, and I will not conceal the fact from you that the bear did not kill me. But he mussed me up enough to satisfy any bear, and the man who caused all the trouble never as much as had his hair rumpled. The man who introduced me to the bear I never saw before. I don't know what his name was, and I have never seen him since.

"I was on my way to see a patient who lived seven or eight miles from town on a backwoods farm. I was about half way there when I heard some one hail me. I looked in the direction of the sound and saw in the top of a small maple tree, or as near the top as he could climb, a man who seemed to be excited. The tree wasn't more than 20 yards from the road, and a thick growth of underbrush was between it and where I was. I stopped my horse.

"'Hello!' hollered the man. 'Come over here an see what ye kin do to'ard gittin a feller down out o' this tree, won't ye? I got up here durn quick, but I got to have help 'fore I kin git down agin.'

"'What are you doing up there anyhow?' I hollered back.

"'Waitin to git down,' replied the man. 'Not another durn thing, an you kin help me.'

"I got out of my wagon and made my way through the thick bushes toward the tree, thinking all the time that this was a queer customer I had struck. I got through the brush and came out into quite a large opening where the tree stood, and instantly I saw that the man had good reason for saying that he'd have to have help in getting down out of the tree. Raging about the foot of the tree was a big bear, mad all over, and evidently having it in deep for the man up in the tree. I stopped at the edge of the thicket as if I had been rooted there. The bear wasn't ten feet away. As soon as I could regain possession of myself I began to back cautiously away, intending to get to my wagon and let somebody else take the job of helping the man out of the tree, but the bear had discovered me, and linking me in some way with the cause of the trouble between it and the man up the tree came rushing toward me with a growl that betokened the ugly temper bruin was in.

"I had a seven shooter with me, and as the bear came toward me I couldn't think of anything better to do, so I pulled the revolver and began blazing away. I put five balls in the bear before he cleared the space between the tree and the bushes, but he came right on. I turned and made for the road and my wagon in a way that made those bushes crack, the bear smashing along after me. I'd have made the buggy all right if it hadn't been that when my horse saw the bear coming out of the bushes he didn't wait for me to get into the wagon, but went tearing away down the road as fast as a badly scared horse could run. I sped after the runaway, and the bear came right along after me. He gained on me, and I turned and fired at him again.

"I don't know where the bullet hit him, but it knocked him down. He was up again, though, in less than no time, and I gave him my last shot, and as he didn't fall I ran for a high rail fence at the lower side of the road, intending to get over it and cut for a farmhouse that was half a mile away, across lots. I got to the top rail, but wasn't quick enough. The bear grabbed me as I had mounted the fence, the rails smashed down beneath our weight, and over and over we rolled together into the ditch at the side of the road. In that short roll that bear managed to strip me almost completely of my clothes from head to foot, and in the tumble my knee was sprained, and my arms and sides were dug deep by the bear's sharp claws. I thought it was all up with me, and consequently was surprised, when we landed in the ditch, that the bear suddenly relaxed his clutch, gave two or three convulsive gasps and a kick or two and didn't move any more. I scrambled up and sprang to the middle of the road, where I picked up a big stone, ready to use it on the bear if he returned to the attack. But he didn't. He was dead. And if he hadn't been an unusually tough old customer he'd have been dead long before. Every one of my seven shots had gone to a vital spot, as I found out afterward.

"Before I limped on my way in the wake of my runaway horse I glanced at the maple tree. The man who had hailed me wasn't there. I had helped him down, for a fact, and he had disappeared. I had limped a mile or more, I guess, when a big, strapping, red faced fellow came out of the bushes at one side of the road, and with a grin said:

"'Did ye git him, cap'n?'

"It was the man of the maple tree. I believe it was good for him that there wasn't another shot in my pistol. I pulled it out of my pocket anyhow, and the man was swallowed up so quick in the bushes that I hardly knew that he had been in sight. I never saw him again and don't know what had occurred between him and the bear before he took to the tree. A little way farther on I met my horse coming back with a man who had stopped it, and I told the man he could have my bear if he'd go get it, which he did. It was more than a 300 pounder, they said. It seemed to me, when it landed on me on that rail fence, that it was a 1,000 pounder at least. And that was the only bear I ever saw in the woods, and I've never helped a man down out of a tree since."—New York Sun.

Fashion.

The very wise Hazlitt says: "Fashion constantly begins and ends in the two things it most abhors—singularity and vulgarity. It is the perpetual setting up and ever disowning a certain standard of taste, elegance and refinement, which has no other formation or authority than that it is the prevailing distraction of the moment, which was yesterday ridiculous from its being new, and tomorrow will be odious from its being common."

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BAGGING—			
2-lb Jute		@	5½
Standard	7½	@	7
WESTERN SMOKED—			
Hams, ℔ lb	13½	@	14
Sides, ℔ lb	8½	@	10
Shoulders, ℔ lb		@	8
DRY SALTED—			
Sides, ℔ lb	7	@	7¼
Shoulders, ℔ lb	6½	@	
BARRELS— Spirits Turpentine—			
Second-hand, each		@	1 15
New New York, each	1 35	@	1 40
New City, each		@	1 40
BEESWAX, ℔ lb		@	27
BRICKS—			
Wilmington, ℔ M	6 50	@	7 00
Northern	9 00	@	11 00
BUTTER—			
North Carolina, ℔ lb	15		
Northern	23	@	
CORN MEAL— ℔			
Per bushel, in sacks		@	53
Virginia Meal	60	@	65
COTTON TIES— ℔ bundle		@	75
CANDLES— ℔ lb—			
Sperm	18	@	25
Adamine	9	@	10
CHEESE— ℔ lb—			
Northern Factory	10	@	11
Dairy, Cream	11	@	12
State		@	10
COFFEE— ℔ lb	27	@	28
Laguyra	20	@	23
Rio	15	@	21
DOMESTICS—			
Sheeting, 4-4, ℔ yard	7	@	8½
Yarns, ℔ bunch	18	@	20
EGGS— ℔ dozen		@	09
FISH—			
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ barrel	22 00	@	30 00
Mackerel, No. 1, ℔ half-barrel	11 00	@	15 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ barrel	16 00	@	18 00
Mackerel, No. 2 ℔ half-barrel	8 00	@	9 00
Mackerel, No. 3, ℔ barrel	13 00	@	14 00
Mullets, ℔ barrel	3 25	@	3 50
Mullets, ℔ pork barrel		@	6 50
N. C. Roe Herring, ℔ keg	3 50	@	4 00
Dry Cod, ℔ lb	5	@	10
" Extra	3 25	@	3 50
FLOUR— ℔ barrel—			
Low grade	3 00	@	3 75
Choice	4 00	@	4 25
Straight	4 25	@	4 40
Fine Patent	5 00	@	5 25
GLUE— ℔ lb	7½	@	10
GRAIN— ℔ bushel—			
Corn, from store, bags—White		@	58
Corn, cargo, in bulk—White		@	54
Corn, cargo, in bags—White		@	54
Oats, from store		@	40
Oats, Rust Proof		@	40
Cow Peas		@	85
HIDES, ℔ lb—			
Green		@	4
Dry		@	5½
HAY, ℔ 100 lbs—			
Eastern		@	1 00
Western		@	1 10
North River		@	1 00
HOOP IRON, ℔ lb	2	@	3½
LARD, ℔ lb—			
Northern	8½	@	9
North Carolina	6½	@	9
LIME, ℔ barrel		@	1 25
LUMBER (City sawed) ℔ M feet—			
Ship Stuff, resawed	18 00	@	20 00
Rough-Edge Plank	15 00	@	16 00
West India cargoes, according to quality	13 00	@	18 00
Dressed Flooring, seasoned	18 00	@	22 00
Scantling and Board, common	14 00	@	15 00
MOLASSES, ℔ gallon—			
New Crop Cuba, in hhds		@	22
" " in bbls		@	23
Porto Rico, in hhds	25	@	27½
" " in bbls	25	@	30
Sugar-House, in hhds	12	@	14
" in bbls		@	16
Syrup, in bbls	18	@	25
NAILS, ℔ keg, Cut, 60d basis		@	2 50
ORE, ℔ barrel—			
City Mess	4 50	@	15 50
Rump		@	14 00
Prime		@	15 00
ROPE, ℔ lb	10	@	32
SALT, ℔ sack—Alum		@	75
Liverpool		@	65
Lisbon		@	
America		@	65
on 125 ℔ Sacks	65	@	50
SHINGLES, 7-inch, ℔ M	5 00	@	7 00
Common	2 00	@	2 50
Cypress Sap	4 50	@	5 00
Cypress Hearts		@	7 50
SUGAR, ℔ lb—Standard Grand'd	4½	@	5
Standard A		@	4½
White Ex. C		@	4¼
Extra C, Golden		@	4¼
C, Yellow		@	3¾
SOAP, ℔ lb—Northern	3½	@	
STAVES, ℔ M—W. O. Barrel	8 00	@	14
R. O. Hogshead		@	10 00
TIMBER, ℔ M feet—Shipping	00	@	9 00
Mill, Prime	00	@	7 00
Mill, Fair	6 50	@	4 50
Common Mill	4 00	@	3 50
Inferior to Ordinary	3 00	@	3 00
TALLOW, ℔ lb	5	@	
WHISKEY, ℔ gallon—Northern	1 00	@	2
North Carolina	1 00	@	2
WOOL, ℔ lb—Washed	14	@	
Clear of burs	13½	@	
Burry		@	

COMMERCIAL

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, August 14

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Steady at 24½ cents per gallon for country and 25½ cents for machine-made casks.

ROSIN—Market steady at $1 15 per bbl. for Strained, and $1 20 for Good Strained.

TAR.—Market steady at $1 35 per bbl. of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market steady at $1 10 for Hard, $1 60 for Yellow Dip and $1 80 for Virgin.

COTTON.—Firm.

Ordinary	4⅝	cts ℔ lb
Good Ordinary	5⅞	" "
Low Middling	6 9-16	" "
Middling	7	" "
Good Middling	7 5-16	" "

RECEIPTS.

Cotton	1	bale
Spirits Turpentine	119	casks
Rosin	534	bbls
Tar	127	bbls
Crude Turpentine	31	bbls

DOMESTIC MARKETS

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

FINANCIAL.

NEW YORK, August 14.—Evening—Money on call easy at 1@1½ per cent., last loan at 1 and closing offered at 1. Prime mercantile paper quoted at 4@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange easier with actual business in bankers' bills at 489¼@489¾ for sixty days and 490¼@490½ for demand. Commercial bills—not quoted. Government bonds quiet; United States coupon fours ——; United States twos 97. State bonds steady; North Carolina fours 103; North Carolina sixes 125. Railroad bonds generally firm.

Silver at the Stock Exchange to-day was dull.

COMMERCIAL.

NEW YORK, August 14—Evening Cotton steady; middling gulf 7 13-16c; middling 7 9-16c; net receipts'— bales; gross 7; bales; exports to Great Britain —— bales; to the Continent — bales; forwarded 7 bales; sales —— bales, sales to spinners 1,145 bales; stock (actual) 169,073 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 142 bales; exports to Great Britain 5,165 bales; to the Continent — bales; stock 310,175 bales.

Total so far this week—Net receipts 1,289 bales; exports to Great Britain 5,396 bales; to France —— bales; to the Continent 255 bales

Total since September 1—Net receipts 7,912,076 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,434,538 bales; exports to France 775,344 bales; exports to the Continent 2,420,205 bales.

NEW YORK, August 14—Evening.—Flour was quiet and generally weak to-day at quotations; winter wheat, low grades $2 50@3 10; fair to fancy $3 10@3 60; patents $3 60@4 00; Minnesota clear $2 65@3 25; patents $3 65@4 40; low extras $2 50@3 10; Southern flour dull and weak; common to fair extra $2 10@2 90; good to choice $3 00@3 65. Wheat—spot market more active for export and weaker; No 2 red in store and at elevator 70¾c; afloat 72¼c; options were fairly active and irregular, closing ⅞c lower; No. 2 red May 76⅝c; August 70¾c; September 71¼c; October 71¾c; December 73⅜c. Corn—spot less active and steady; No. 2 at elevator 47¾c; afloat 49¼c; options were fairly active at ¼@⅝c decline, and closed weak; September 43¼c; October 43½c; May 37¾c. Oats—spot dull and firm; options quiet and firm; August 24¼c; September 23¾c; October 24c; May 27½c; spot—No. 2 25c; No. 2 white new 28c; mixed Western 25@28½cc. Hay—the market was weak, with receipts liberal; shipping 65@70c; good to choice 90@95. Wool firm and demand moderate; domestic fleece 16@22c; pulled 15@34c; Texas ——c. Beef dull

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The Morning Star.

A LAUGH IN CHURCH.

She sat on the sliding cushion,
The dear wee woman of four;
Her feet in their shiny slippers
Hung dangling over the floor.
She meant to be good, she had promised,
And so with her big brown eyes
She stared at the meeting house windows
And counted the crawling flies.

She looked far up at the preacher,
But she thought of the honey bees
Droning away in the blossoms
That whitened the cherry trees.
She thought of the broken basket
Where, curled in a dusky heap,
Three sleek, round puppies with fringy ears
Lay snuggled and fast asleep.

Such soft, warm bodies to cuddle,
Such queer little hearts to beat,
Such swift, round tongues to kiss,
Such sprawling, cushiony feet!
She could feel in her clasping fingers
The touch of the satiny skin
And a cold, wet nose exploring
The dimples under her chin.

Then a sudden ripple of laughter
Ran over the parted lips,
So quick that she could not catch it
With her rosy finger tips.
The people whispered, "Bless the child!"
As each one waked from a nap,
But the dear wee woman hid her face
For shame in her mother's lap.

—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

THE FOURTEENTH.

It has been said that it is always the unexpected that happens, and that to be prepared for emergencies one must be both a philosopher and a fatalist. As Professor Smythe, musician, piano tuner and general utility man—in a musical way—was going to the Globe theater, where he was to play a flute obligato with the regular orchestra, he would have been much surprised if any hint of a new calamity in his run down fortunes could have been then and there foretold. He certainly thought he had taxed the ingenuity of adverse fate to its utmost, and he had enough misery on hand to last a lifetime. But the misfortune awaiting him was of a grotesque turn and quite unlike the others, which were the commonplace ones of illness, poverty and bad luck in everything he undertook.

As he walked along in the shrinking, depressed fashion that had become natural to him through habitude with misfortune he was aware of the sudden opening of a door in a handsome residence he was passing and a flood of orange light beaming across his path. At the same time a man in evening dress ran lightly down the steps, seized him by the arm and said briskly:

"My dear sir, excuse me, but would you do me a great favor?"

Professor Smythe forgot to draw into his shell, so sudden was this attack. He stood still, like the wedding guest in the "Ancient Mariner," but finally stammered his need of haste and the occasion of it.

"I will pay you twice as much, and you will have nothing to do but make yourself agreeable. It will be a great accommodation, and I shall never forget it. I can see by your appearance that you are a gentleman. Consider me a friend and accept my offer."

"But what service is required of me?" asked the professor, who had a vague idea that a grand piano had suddenly gone wrong.

"Why, you see, I am giving a dinner to some friends. It is all on the table, and we have just discovered that there are 13 of us. That would never do at all. Now if you will dine with us, you shall be well paid for your services, and I dare say you will be in time for your flute solo at the theater, as you can be excused when you desire. You will come? Thanks!"

The professor followed his host in a state of absolute subjection, as if he might have been hypnotized, but the fact was that the poor man had not broken his fast since morning, and the delicious aroma of the dinner coming through the open door proved irresistible. He gave his name in a whisper, was handed over to a servant, who took him up stairs into a guest chamber, helped him remove his shabby overcoat and whisked off his best suit with a silver handled brash, taking its threadbare glint for dust. It was well he was engaged to play; otherwise he would not have been in evening dress. He was beginning to enjoy the little comedy in which he was himself an actor.

There was no introduction. His host motioned him to a seat between the maiden lady and a severe matron who turned her silken back on him to talk to her neighbor on the other side. The professor's pride did not once assert itself. He was masquerading—that was all.

But fate had not done with Professor Smythe.

The consomme had a dash of champagne in it, and new life was infused into the veins of this professional diner out. The fish and game and pate that followed were all triumphs of the culinary art, and the hungry man cloyed the edge of his appetite, not by the bare imagination of a feast, but by the feast itself. It was no feast of the Barmecede either, for the viands were actual, and the wine was not a pretense, but a delightful vintage, served in cut glass goblets. The poor professor felt like saying to his neighbor, "Pinch me!" for it was like a dream or an illusion rather than a reality.

But the striking of the clock reminded him that he had been there an hour, and as he had broken the spell of the unlucky 13 he ventured to excuse himself and rose stiffly from his place and bowed himself out of the room.

He was followed by a servant who handed him an envelope with the compliments of the gentleman with whom he had just dined. Not for worlds would he have opened it, though it was unsealed, before the man, but he accepted it graciously and went up stairs to get his hat and overcoat unattended.

A number of handsomely appointed chambers were on the upper hall, and the professor glanced into each as he passed on his way to the particular guest chamber where he had left his belongings. Perhaps he was a trifle overcome by sherry and other beverages, but he thought the room had been darkened and that he was right. He stood a moment in the doorway and looked cautiously in, peering about at the luxury, but at the same time noting that it was not the dressing room for which he was looking. Before he could step back and turn down the corridor again the unexpected happened. He received a sudden and violent push from behind, which flung him forward out of the doorway into the room, the door was instantly locked upon him, and he was a prisoner.

"Smythe luck!" said the poor man as he tried in vain to open the door and knew by the rumpus he could hear outside that the house was in a state of excitement. "I suppose they will think I was trying to steal something."

And to add to his terror he heard the alarmed household coming up stairs, and the next moment the door of his room was opened, and his host, backed by all the male guests, stood in the open doorway.

"What are you doing here?" was the first question his host propounded. "Tell the truth now as you would hope for mercy."

"I came here to get my hat and coat," said the professor, the dignity of all the Smythes since Mount Ararat in his thin, rasping tones.

"A likely story. Turn your pockets inside out," commanded the host.

"I refuse to do it."

"Then I will send for the police. I was willing to give you a chance, but if you refuse to be searched you are guilty."

"I am not a thief."

"I do not know. Your actions are very suspicious. You can explain matters to the chief of police. There must be reasons why you refuse to be searched. If you are honest, you can have nothing to conceal."

A hollow laugh rang through the room. Was it possible the bold intruder dared to laugh at them? It was the laugh of despair, and as such it smote upon the heart of the host, who looked troubled and perplexed. His enforced guest saw the look, and it suggested a line of action to him.

"Send these men away," he said, pointing to the group of alarmed guests crowding in at the door. He was glad the women had remained below stairs and not come to gaze upon his discomfiture. He did not know that they were locked up in fear and trembling in a distant parlor.

"We won't go," chorused the group. "He may want to murder you."

"I don't think he will," said the host, who was really soft hearted. "I'll trust him, and you fellows can go to the ladies. I'll call if I need help."

They went, rather glad to be out of it, and the two men, left together, eyed each other, one waiting for the other to speak. They were exactly opposite in appearance, one rosy and rubicund, the other thin and anxious—a meager travesty on a successful man.

"I refused to let you search me," said the professor slowly, "because—oh, my God, how can I acknowledge it—I am a thief!"

The other man started and moved toward the door. Then he waited.

"I have stolen from you—here, let me show you, and you will know why I could have died easier than to have these people gloating over me. See here—and—here and here."

He took the valuables out of his pocket one by one. They made a strange exhibit as he piled them up on the table in front of him. They were a roll of dinner bread, a pate, a sweetbread rolled in a leaf of lettuce, a chicken breast, a bit of toasted bread and a caviare sandwich. He brought them out to the last crumb, with the manner of one who lays his life on the altar of sacrifice.

"Great heavens, man, what does this mean?" asked the astonished host.

"It means," replied the other solemnly, "that my sick wife and my little children are starving, and that I pilfered from my share of food at your table to give them, for my rent is overdue, and the money I earned is already spent."

"But what did you eat yourself?"

"More than I have eaten for many a day. But now do with me what you will."

"Would you mind putting these things back into your pocket?" inquired his host vaguely. "Now come with me." He took him by the arm and led him down stairs and into the presence of the shaking guests. "I—I made a bad mistake, my friends," he said. "This gentleman has proved himself perfectly innocent of any attempt at crime, and I must beg you to remain silent as to the events of this evening. He is under my protection from this time, and you will all agree with me that we are extremely sorry that such a mistake should have occurred."

Of course they all agreed with the sentiments of their host, whatever they were, and Professor Smythe was allowed to take his leave amid profuse apologies.—Mrs. M. L. Rayne in Detroit Free Press.

SEEDLESS FRUITS.

Gardeners Are Trying With Good Results to Get Rid of Prickles and Stones.

"Appendicitis may not be so fashionable a disease a few years hence as it is now," said Assistant Pomologist Taylor. "Gardeners are trying their best to get rid of seeds in fruits. Already we have the navel orange, which is nearly always seedless. Some varieties of apples have been produced that have almost no seeds. They are abnormalities. Sometimes they are called 'bloomless,' because the blossoms have no petals, and in some cases lack stamens. The core is very small, and commonly there is a hollow at the end opposite the stem. These seedless apples are generally poor in flavor, being grown merely as curiosities.

"Raisin producers in California are trying to obtain seedless grapes for raisins. The object in view is to get size and seedlessness in the same fruit. You are familiar with the seedless grapes of Corinth, which are commonly known as 'currants.' The Sultana raisins of southeastern Europe are likewise seedless grapes. Both of these varieties are now cultivated in California, but they are small. A prominent grower in Fresno county is working in this direction with the Muscat of Alexandria, which is a leading raisin grape in California. He selects cuttings from those vines which produce less than the normal number of seeds. Continuing this process from year to year, he hopes to reduce the grapes to absolute seedlessness eventually. It is believed that the seedlessness of the Corinth and Sultana grapes was obtained by similar means.

"The banana is seedless and has been so for centuries, though nobody knows why. It is propagated by suckers, and possibly it had no seeds when it was first found in the wild state. The banana is a modified berry. Cutting the fruit down through the middle, you will sometimes see a few little brown spots, which are rudimentary seeds. Occasionally the banana does actually produce seeds. The pineapple is nearly seedless, being propagated likewise from suckers and from slips. The eggplant, which is a fruit botanically speaking, is occasionally seedless. This plant is able to produce developed fruit, whether the blossoms are fertilized or not.

"Horticulturists are endeavoring at the same time to rid fruit plants of thorns. Some oranges and lemons are very thorny—for example, the high priced King orange, which is the best of the mandarins. It is rarely seen in this market. The first trees were brought to the United States from Cochin China. In Florida its thorniness has been diminished by selecting buds from branches with the fewest thorns. Thorns are objectionable because they puncture the oranges or lemons when the branches are blown about by the wind.

"Efforts are being made to get rid of the thorns on raspberry and blackberry plants simply for convenience in picking the fruit. The thorns are intended by nature to protect the plants from animals. Cultivators select those plants which by chance happen to be thornless or comparatively so."—Washington Star.

The beautiful aniline dyes are made from the refuse products of gas manufacture.

DOGS BETTER THAN BULLETS.

Prisoners In a Texas Jail Guarded by Half a Hundred Fierce Brutes.

Convicts in the state prison at Huntsville, Tex., are guarded while at work on the roads by huge dogs. There is a regular breeding establishment in the prison for raising the dogs, and the kennels contain 40 or 50 of them.

These dogs, which are the same as those of which Prince Bismarck is so fond, are known in this country as Great Danes. In Germany, whence the breed had its origin, they are called the Ulmer dog. Those used at Huntsville are crossed with the mastiff, and the resultant breed is a fierce, courageous and very powerful animal.

While at work the convicts are guarded both by the warders and the dogs. The armed warders are stationed about 50 feet apart, and between each are a couple of the dogs, who lie peacefully enough while all is quiet, but at the first unusual sound are instantly on the alert. Should a convict make a desperate break for liberty he would be pulled down and torn piecemeal before he had gone 100 feet.

Unlike bloodhounds, who will not attack their game when overtaken, but only give tongue, these dogs cannot be called off, and an escaping convict is certain to be killed. Needless to say, attempts at escape are not frequent. A negro who made a bold dash for liberty was caught by two of the hounds and torn to pieces before he had gone 50 yards. These accidents figure in the reports as "shot while trying to escape." It is rare, however, that a shot is fired by the guards. There is reason to believe that they prefer to see a man run down to sending a bullet through him. The life of a convict guard is a very monotonous one. His duties consist mainly in marching up and down, rifle on shoulder, by the side of a gang of convicts. Such a break in the monotony as a man hunt is too tempting to let slip, and compassion for a "greaser" is altogether unknown.

These drastic measures for guarding the gangs are to a certain extent necessary, owing to the desperate character of the majority of the prisoners. They consist mainly of that mixture of negro, Indian and Mexican blood from which comes the "greaser," as he is contemptuously termed.—Cor. New York World.

ILLUMINATING AQUARIUMS.

This Is Putting Electric Light to a Most Cruel Use.

Sir Herbert Maxwell draws attention to a form of cruelty which, he claims, should be sternly discouraged. On a recent occasion he attended a most elaborately appointed dinner. The center of the table was occupied by a crystal bowl in which were half a dozen goldfish. Among these an electric lamp had been introduced, and its strong light beat on the fish with an effect that must have been excruciating. Fish are extremely sensitive to light, not only in their eyes, but (some of them) over the whole surface of their bodies, as is shown by the faculty possessed by trout of altering their color to that of the ground over which they swim. That which renders exposure to strong light intolerable to fish is that they have no eyelids. Had the rays of light struck the globe obliquely, the harshness of their effect would have been to some extent modified, but the full brilliance of the lamp was brought close to and level with the fish, which had no cranny in which to screen their lidless eyes.

Sir Herbert asks, "How would the guests have enjoyed their feast if the center of the table had been occupied by a pillar of intense light, 6 feet high, that being the proportion to their stature which the burner bore to the size of the goldfish?"

He believes it to be one of the thoughtless uses of the electric light which will be abandoned as soon as those who have adopted it realize its cruelty. There is scientific warrant for this appeal. It is well known that the intense light of the electric arc produces a painful ailment, called "electric sunstroke," upon workmen who are exposed to its influence where large arcs are used, as in electric welding, and it has been clearly demonstrated that the light of even the incandescent lamp has a powerful effect upon the surface of the human body.

LONDON BRIDGE SUICIDES.

The Dark Waters of the Thames Daily Fed With Human Life.

London bridge seems to be the favorite resort of the miserables who wish to leap into eternity, says a writer in the Boston Herald. Scores of suicides jump from it every year, and it is a tradition in Scotland Yard that its suicides are the ones which always give the greatest trouble to the police. They seem to generate puzzling mysteries. One night last winter four persons—one woman and three men—jumped from London bridge between the hours of midnight and 5 a. m., and each one bothered the police. Ordinarily a suicide is not much bother. It is simply necessary for the patrolmen in the policebeat to catch the body with a boat hook, tow it ashore and turn it over to the tender mercies of the coroner. But sometimes it is not so simple.

One of these suicides, for instance, was the wreckage which had been left in the wake of a young nobleman's dissipation, and it is always a nuisance in England for a young woman of that sort to kill herself. It attracts public attention to her and to the aristocrat's dissipation. That is certainly enough to bother the police. Another of that night's bits of human flotsam was a man who had the bad taste to write a long letter to the papers showing that he had been literally driven to his death by the laws of England, which would not permit him to make a living, yet insisted on sending him to jail if he did not clothe his children well enough to permit them to appear at school.

The third was well dressed and of a finely bred appearance. His identity was a great bother. When it was finally found out that he was a member of a family well known indeed, but secretly affected with an insane taint, which had taken this way of making itself felt, there was as much trouble in hiding his name as there had at first been in unearthing it. The fourth victim—and his death was a real misfortune—was a man who had been long searched for by the police, and who could have given very valuable information in a most important criminal case, had he not killed himself just at the wrong moment.

Diamonds and Electricity.

An inventor has devised an electrical apparatus for the detection of sham or paste diamonds. The diamond is moistened and slowly moved toward a small, thin disk of aluminium, which is rapidly revolved by an electric motor. The contact of the diamond thus constitutes a brake to the motion of the disk. If metallic marks are found on the supposed gem, it is not genuine; otherwise, it is a pure stone. The idea is based on the fact that if a sharp piece of aluminium be rubbed on moistened glass brilliant metallic markings appear, but the phenomenon is absent when similar contact is made with a diamond. The same inventor is credited with an electric egg testing device, which consists of a box provided with two holes and fitted inside with a mirror at 45 degrees. A small electric lamp outside the box throws light on the egg placed in one of the holes in the top of the box. Through the other hole can be seen on the mirror the reflection of the illuminated egg, which will be clear of streaks and stains, or otherwise, according as it is stale or sound.—New York Times.

Conan Doyle on Cycling.

Conan Doyle, who is an enthusiast on cycling, says in Demorest's Magazine:

"When the spirits are low, when the day appears dark, when work becomes monotonous, when hopes seem hardly worth having, just mount a bicycle and go for a good spin down the road, without thought of anything but the ride you are taking. I have myself ridden the bicycle most during my practice as a physician and during my work in letters. In the morning or the afternoon, before or after work, as the mood o'ertakes me, I mount the wheel and am off for a spin of a few miles up or down the road from my country place. I can only speak words of praise for the bicycle."

The Duke of Marlborough had a voice that, it was said, could be heard above the roar of artillery.

The Chinese make candies of a vegetable wax, the product of the candleberry tree.

A Curious Adventure.

An old French soldier, Colonel de Gonneville, in writing the story of his military career describes one curious adventure which had nothing warlike about it, but in which for a moment he was in danger of his life. During one of his campaigns he had stopped for the night at a house in which lived a lady and her daughter.

"It was early May, and in the evening after dinner I went out with the ladies for a walk. We took a road leading out of the village between stone walls about four feet in height. Here at a place where the road made a sudden turn, so that we could not see what lay before us, I heard all at once a strange noise. It might have been produced by a tempest, but there was not a breath of air stirring.

"At that moment my two companions, with signs of extreme terror, clambered over the wall, and I instinctively followed them. We were hardly on the other side before a dense drove of pigs, at least 150 long, came round the turn with such fury that no obstacle could have stopped them.

"If we had not been out of the road, we should have been knocked down, and the whole drove would have gone over us. The women told me that we should have been picked up dead or at least so mutilated as to be good for nothing.

"The swine, it appeared, were driven out to a wood in the morning and at night were driven back to the village and fed. The prospect of the trough made them so eager that they entered the village like an avalanche."

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Traveler (in a railway carriage to fellow passenger)—Sir, what do you mean? This is the third time you have put out my match.

Fellow Passenger—Force of habit. I'm a member of a volunteer fire brigade.—Texas Siftings.

Persia was so named by the Greeks from Persepolis, its capital. The natives were "Parsa," modernly called "Parsees."

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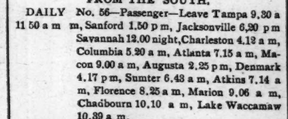

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7.00 P M p m, Warsaw 8.45 p m, Goldsboro 9.40 p m, Wilson 10.27 p m, †Tarboro 6.58 a m, Rocky Mount 12.07 p m, Weldon 12.55 a m, †Norfolk 10.35 a m, Petersburg 2.37 a m, Richmond 3.40 a m, Washington 7.00 a m, Baltimore 8.20 a m, Philadelphia 10.46 a m, New York 1.23 p m, Boston 8.30 p m.

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ARRIVALS AT WILMINGTON—FROM THE NORTH.

DAILY No. 47—Passenger—Leave Boston 1.00 p
5.45 P M m, New York 9.00 p m, Philadelphia 12.03 a m, Baltimore 2.50 a m, Washington 4.30 a m, Richmond 9.05 a m, Petersburg 10.00 a m, Norfolk 8.40 a m, Weldon 11.53 a m, Tarboro 12.20 p m, Rocky Mount 1.05 p m, Wilson 2.13 p m, Goldsboro 3.10 p m, Warsaw 4.09 p m, Magnolia 4.16 p m.

DAILY No. 41—Passenger—Leave Boston 11.00
10.00 a m p m, New York 9.00 a m, Philadelphia 11.38 a m, Baltimore 2.13 p m, Washington 3.30 p m, Richmond 7.13 p m, Petersburg 7.54 p m, †Norfolk 2.10 p m, Weldon 9.27 p m, †Tarboro 5.50 p m, Rocky Mount 10.30 p m, arrive Wilson 11.08 p m, leave Wilson 6.35 a m, Goldsboro 7.20 a m, Warsaw 8.16 a m, Magnolia 8.29 a m.

FROM THE SOUTH.

DAILY No. 56—Passenger—Leave Tampa 9.30 a
11 50 a m m, Sanford 1.50 p m, Jacksonville 6.30 p m Savannah 12.00 night, Charleston 4.13 a m, Columbia 5.20 a m, Atlanta 7.15 a m, Macon 9.00 a m, Augusta 2.25 p m, Denmark 4.17 p m, Sumter 6.43 a m, Atkinson 7.14 a m, Florence 8.25 a m, Marion 9.06 a m, Chadbourn 10.10 a m, Lake Waccamaw 10.39 a m.

†Daily except Sunday.

Trains on Scotland Neck Branch Road leave Weldon 3.45 p m, Halifax 4.05 p m, arrive Scotland Neck 4.55 p m, Greenville 6.37 p m, Kinston 7.35 p m. Returning, leaves Kinston 7.20 a m, Greenville 8.22 a m, Arriving Halifax at 11.00 a m, Weldon 11.20 a m, daily except Sunday.

Trains on Washington Branch leave Washington 7.00 a. m., arrive Parmele 8.40 a. m., Tarboro 9.50; am returning leaves Tarboro 4.40 p m; Parmele 6.10 p. m. arrives Washington 7.35 p. m. Daily except Sunday. Connects at Parmele with trains on Scotland Neck Branch.

Train leaves Tarboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, at 4.50 p m; Sunday 3.00 p m; arrive Plymouth 9.00 p m, 5.15 p m. Returning, leave Plymouth daily except Sunday 6.00 a m, Sunday 9.30 a m; Arrive Tarboro 10.25 a m and 11.45 a m.

Train on Midland N C Branch leaves Goldsboro, N. C., daily except Sunday, 5.05 a m; arrive Smithfield, N. C., 7.30 a m. Returning, leaves Smithfield, N. C., 8.00 a m; arrive Goldsboro, N. C., 9.30 a m.

Train on Nashville Branch leaves Rocky Mount at 4.30 p m, arrives Nashville 5.05 p m, Spring Hope 5.30 p m. Returning, leaves Spring Hope 8 a m, Nashville 8.35 a m; arrive Rocky Mount 9.05 a m, daily except Sunday.

Train on Clinton Branch leave Warsaw for Clinton Daily except Sunday at 4.10 p m; returning leave Clinton at 7.30 a m.

Trains on South and North Carolina Railroad leave Elliott 7.00 p m, arrive Bishopville 7.39 p m. Lucknow 8.10 p m, returning leave Lucknow 6.30 a m, Bishopville 7.00 a m; arrive Elliott 7.38 a m. Daily except Sunday.

Florence Railroad leave Pee Dee 8.40 a m, arrive Latta 9.01 a m, Dillon 9.12 a m, Rowland 9.31 a m., returning leaves Rowland 6.00 p m, arrives Dillon 6.18 p m, Latta 6.31 p m, Pee Dee 6.53 p m, daily. Latta Branch trains leave Latta 6.40 p m, arrive Dunbar 7.50 p m, returning leave Dunbar 6.30 a m, arrive Latta 7.50 a m. Daily except Sunday.

Wilmington and Conway Railroad, leave Hub at 8.15 a m, Chadbourn 10.20 a m, arrive Conway 12.35 p m, leave Conway 2.30 p m, Chadbourn 5.35 p m, arrive Hub 6.30 p m, Daily except Sunday.

Cheraw and Darlington Railroad leave Florence 7.30 a m, 8.15 a m, 7.35 p m, arrive Darlington 8.05 a m, 8.55 a m, 7.50 p m, Hartsville 8.45 p m, Cheraw, S. C., 11.15 a m, Wadesboro 1.10 p m, leave Wadesboro 9.00 p m, Cheraw 3.45 p m, Hartsville 4.30 a m, Darlington 5.05 p m, 4.30 p m. 5.35 a m, arrive Florence 6.45 p m, 5 p m, 6 a m. Daily except Sunday.

Central of South Carolina Railroad leave Sumter 5.50 p m, Manning 6.31 p m, arrive Lane's 7 p m, leave Lanes 8.38 a m, Manning 9.15 a m. arrive Sumter 9.44 a m. Daily.

Georgetown and Western Railroad leave Lanes 9.30 a m, 7.10 p m, arrive Georgetown 12 m, 8.30 p m, leave Georgetown 7 a m, 3 p m, arrive Lanes 8.25 a m, 5.35 p m. Daily except Sunday.

Wilson and Fayetteville Branch leave Wilson 2.03 p m, 11.08 p m, arrive Selma 2.53 p m, Smithfield 3.03 p m, Dunn 3.24 p m, Fayetteville 4.30 p m, 12.53 a m, Rowland 6.00 p m, returning leave Rowland 9.31 a m, Fayetteville 10.55 a m, 9.35 p m, Dunn 11.44 a m, Smithfield 12.25 p m, Selma 12.39 p m, arrive Wilson 1.20 p m, 11.28 p m.

Trains Ive Pregnall's 3.15 p m, Summerton 4.47 p m,

The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

THURSDAY MORNING, AUG. 15, 1895

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS.

Wheat and Corn Closed Lower—Oats Unchanged—September Lard and Ribs Lower.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—The first thing to absorb attention of wheat traders to-day after the opening this morning was the prediction of frosts for North and South Dakota, Minnesota, Nebraska and Wisconsin. Prices had opened lower on fresh stories of phenomenal yields of spring wheat, some portions of Manitoba giving forty-five bushels to the acre, but when the Government weather indications were issued the impulse was to buy and a rise of about 1c was accomplished before a halt was called. Then the question as to what, if any, damage would result from a slight freeze arose, and as no definite theory was forthcoming, those who had bought pressed to sell out and the gain was lost. Bradstreet's report of a decrease of 1,300,000 bushels in the world's available stocks had a bearish effect, although the figures were close to what had been expected. September wheat opened from 66¼ to 66⅜c, sold between 67⅛ and 65⅝c, closing at 66 to 66⅛—⅜ of a cent under yesterday. Sample lots were lower to agree with futures.

Corn—When other conditions have exercised an influence on corn the minds of traders in that grain revert to the crop. Fresh predictions this morning were responsible for the firmness which characterized the early business in this market to-day. It was conceded that some injury might follow such an early freeze, but when some advance had been made and some shorts had covered the feeling changed and prices began to move in the opposite direction. The weakness then ruling in wheat exerted an adverse influence and the knowledge that even with a loss of a portion of the crop there was still remaining an extraordinary production helped along the decline. September opened at 38c, sold between 38⅝c and 37¼c, closing at the inside, ⅜c under yesterday. Cash corn was ½c higher early, but closed weak and with the advance lost.

September oats closed unchanged from yesterday. Cash oats were quiet and unchanged from yesterday. Cash oats were quiet and steady.

Provisions—Packers and the general run of traders in product were sellers to-day and no demand aside from that coming from shorts appeared. The hog market was in a worse state this morning than on any day yet and prices at the yards were weak and lower. Grain extended no relief, as everything dealt in on the floor was in a declining mood. The dealing in provisions was not at all important, however, and altogether the session was without noteworthy features. Closing prices were 22½c. lower for September pork; 2½c. lower for September lard and 10c. lower for September ribs.

SPOTS AND FUTURES.

The New York Sun's Review of the Situation in Cotton.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, August 14.—The *Sun* says: Cotton advanced eleven to twelve points, then reacted and closed steady at a net advance of four to five points, with sales of 184,300 bales. Liverpool advanced one and a half points, but lost this and declined one to one and a half points, closing barely steady, with spot sales of 15,000 bales at a rise of 1-32d. Manchester quiet, according to the official dispatches. New Orleans advanced thirteen to fourteen points, but lost half of this later. Charleston advanced ⅜c, St. Louis ⅛c and Augusta 1-16. The South was firm and quiet. Here, prices were steady and unchanged, with good business, embracing 1,145 bales for spinning. Port receipts 142 bales, against 112 bales this day last week, and 1,193 bales last year. Galveston received 96 bales of new to-day. In all Galveston received 33 bales, against 289 bales a year ago; New Orleans 32 bales, against 319 bales, and Houston 24 bales, against 527 bales last year. Heavy rains in Mississippi, Alabama, Georgia and Louisiana; very little rain in Texas. Showers were predicted for Northern Texas.

To-day's features: Notwithstanding heavy realizing sales for Southern and European account and favorable reports in regard to the crop from some parts of the cotton belt, prices closed higher to-night and at one time they showed a noteworthy advance, owing partly to the unexpected firmness in Liverpool, partly to the fact that the weekly Government report was not so favorable as many had expected and partly to a sharp rise in New Orleans, an active spot demand here and in Liverpool, and brisk covering of shorts. Heavy rains, too, were reported in the Eastern Gulf States, and hardly any in Texas, according to Government advices. Liverpool bought considerable at one time and Wall street was also a good buyer. The speculation was animated, and the bull party has of late had important accessions to its ranks. On the rise, however, there was a good deal of realizing, and the bears attacked the market with reports of rain in Lee county, Texas. Besides Liverpool closed easier and barely steady. Still the market was so "short" that it was impossible to prevent an advance. A Manchester dispatch reported an improving trade, and the improvement in the cotton goods business in this country is well maintained.

Futures closed steady, with sales of 174,100 bales: August 7 28; September 7 28; October 7 34; November 7 39; December 7 45; January 7 50; February 7 55; March 7 60.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, August 14.—Spirits turpentine quiet and steady at 27¼@27¾c. Rosin dull but steady; strained common to good $1 52½@1 57½.

CHARLESTON, August 14.—Spirits turpentine firm at 24¾c; receipts 41 casks. Rosin firm; good strained $1 05@1 15; receipts 362 barrels.

SAVANNAH, August 14.—Spirits turpentine firm at 25¼c; demand strong; receipts 205 casks against 809 same day last year. Rosin—good strained at unchanged prices; sales 5,000 barrels.

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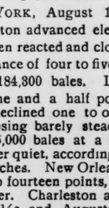

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SILVER DEMOCRATS CONFER.

A GREAT GATHERING OF LEADERS OF THE PARTY.

To Effect Organization Within the Party to Dominate the National Democratic Convention and to Commit the Party to Free Coinage—Nearly Every State in the Union Represented.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, August 14.—The conference of Democrats favorable to the free coinage of silver began at noon today at the Metropolitan hotel, the session being secret. The object is to effect an organization within the party strong enough to dominate the next National Democratic Convention and to commit the party to free coinage in the next National platform.

"Free coinage of silver," said a prominent delegate this morning, "has always been advocated by the Democrats; it is a doctrine older than the party itself, and I cannot see why we should not obtain the end we seek."

Two hours before the meeting of the conference the lobby and parlors of the hotel were filled with well-known public men, known as advocates of the extended use of silver as a money metal. Senator Jones, of Arkansas, who was to be presiding officer, sat in the reading room, explaining the object of the meeting to an interested lot of listeners. Senators Harris, of Tennessee, and Daniel, of Virginia, had a private consultation relative to the proceedings of the conference in the room of the former. Ex-Senator Walsh, of Georgia, discussed the issue in question with a number of delegates in the lobby.

The Illinois and Missouri delegations arrived at the hotel early and were introduced to their colleagues from the South. Ex-Representative Brookshire, of Indiana, Representatives Livingstone, of Georgia, and Cox, of Tennessee, discussed with delegates from other sections the advisability of the proposed move, while delegates not as well known listened attentively to their more experienced brethren.

The conference was called to order promptly at 12 o'clock. Senator Jones, of Arkansas, was made chairman and Mr. Hinrickson, of Illinois, secretary.

Senator Jones, in opening, said that the Committee of Finance had met in accordance with the call which explained itself. He wanted to see a silver militia organized to cope with the gold forces.

A roll call of delegates showed the following delegates to be present:

Alabama—James F Johnson, Joseph Hodges, John W Tomlinson, H N Wilson, S W John.

Ohio—S S Yoder.

Georgia—Patrick Walsh, L F Livingston.

Indiana—Allen W Clark.

Delaware—J F Saulsbury.

Maryland—W M Coleman, W E Mannakee, Charles R Darby.

Kentucky—Urey Woodson.

Mississippi—W S Stockdale.

North Dakota—Willis R Bierly.

Missouri—Gov Wm J Stone, Lon V Stephens, Harry M Hill, W M Ruby, Geo W Allen, Jos K Rickey, Louis Houck, Scott Miller, R W Bodine, Geo E Simmons, Thomas O Towles, Judge Lee Woodsides, E J Bean.

West Virginia—John J Cornwell.

Tennessee—Senator Isham G Harris, Col Casey Young, Gen N N Cox, Col E W Carmack.

Arkansas—Senator James K Jones, Robt Neill, W P Stone.

North Carolina—Ex-Senator Thomas J Jarvis Representative Lockhart, Mr Josephus Daniels.

Florida—Senator Call, Frank E Harris, John S Beard, J E Alexander, E R McKean.

Texas—Judge Silas Hare.

Virginia—Senator Daniel, Wm A Jones, P J Otey, L Q Washington, J S Duffie, J R. Wingfield, Page McCarty, J B McCabe, Randolph Meade, T N Conrad, Jr, Frank Hume, P R Nuckalls, J D Pennybaker, Hon John W Daniel, John A Jones, T J Ramsdell, R H Lee, Marshall McCormick, John F. Sowers.

Illinois—W H Hinrichson, O P Thompson, W E Nelson, M F Dunlap, Geo M Leerone, Geo B Parsons, Geo E Deying, Geo E Brennan, T W McNelly, A M Rose, John H Barnes, John W Yantis, C R Tuttle.

South Carolina—Col John F Trentlen.

Colorado—M B Gerry, S D Trimble, Olney Newell.

After the roll call Senator Harris, of Tennessee, suggested that the business of the convention be properly outlined.

Senator Daniel, of Virginia, offered the following resolution, which was agreed to without discussion:

Resolved, That a committee be appointed by the chairman of the conference, of such number as he may see fit, to prepare a programme of proceedings and resolutions, and report the same to the conference at an adjourned meeting to be held at 4 o'clock to-day. The chairman of the conference shall be ex-officio member of this committee.

After the adoption of the resolution a recess for thirty-five minutes was taken to allow the chairman, Senator Jones, to prepare the committee. He decided to appoint a committee of one member from each State represented.

After the recess Chairman Jones announced the following as the committee: Missouri, Gov Stone and H M Hill; North Carolina, Senator Jarvis; Illinois, W H Hinrichson; Indiana, A W Clark; Georgia, ex-Senator Walsh; Alabama, J E Johnson; Tennessee, E M Carmack; Virginia, Senator Daniel; Kentucky, W Woodson; Colorado; A Newell; North Dakota, W R Bierly; Ohio, P S Yoder; Delaware, J F Saulsbury; Maryland, M M Pullman; Mississippi, W S Stockdale; South Carolina, J F Trentlen; West Virginia, J J Cromwell; Texas, ex-Representative Hare; Arkansas, Senator Jones; Florida, J S Beard.

The conference adjourned until 4 o'clock.

The conference re-assembled at 4 o'clock. Senator Daniel, in accordance with the agreement reached by the Committee on Programme, reported progress and asked that the conference adjourn until 10 o'clock to-morrow morning, at which time they expected to be able to report resolutions and an address to the party. The request of Senator Daniel met prompt compliance, and the conference adjourned until 10 o'clock.

SAVED THREE LIVES.

The Heroism of Mrs. Peter McCormick, of Baltimore, Md.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

BALTIMORE, August 14.—The presence of mind and heroism of Mrs. Peter McCormick, of 1518 Rutter street, probably saved the lives of three persons this morning. She was awakened at 3 o'clock by suffocating smoke to find her home in flames. The fire had already attacked the only stairway, but Mrs. McCormick awoke her 19-year old son and led him to the street. She then dashed into the burning building, aroused her 15-year old daughter and piloted her through the smoke-filled blazing rooms to safety. Mrs. McCormick then made a third trip up the fast succumbing stairway and arousing her sleeping sister, Mrs Perkins, who was suffering with rheumatism, guided her in safety to the street: where she was taken care of by the excited neighbors. When the fire engines arrived nothing remained for them to save but the brick walls. Fifteen hundred dollars will probably cover the money loss.

A case of yellow fever developed among the passengers on the steamer Seneca, at New York quarantine, from Havana.

S. C. DISPENSARY LAW.

A Case of Some Interest to the Legal Fraternity.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

COLUMBIA, August 14.—A case of some interest was decided to-day by Chief Justice McIver, of the Supreme Court of South Carolina. The Dispensary law of this State provides that, upon certain proof, the State officials may enjoin a party from selling intoxicants. Proceeding under these provisions, Circuit Judge Bennett, sitting in this city some time last October, enjoined one Wm. Sheppard from selling or otherwise disposing of spirituous liquors. At the recent term of the Court in this city Sheppard was brought up before Judge Townsend, another Circuit Judge, on the charge of contempt of court, in selling liquors contrary to the order of Judge Bennett. Judge Townsend held Sheppard guilty of contempt of Judge Bennett's order, and sentenced him to a fine of $200 and to imprisonment in the penitentiary for eight months. Sheppard was committed accordingly, had his head shaved, put in stripes and set to work. Last week his lawyers, John McMaster and B. L. Abney, moved before Chief Justice McIver for the discharge of Sheppard on several grounds. Chief among them was that the provision of the dispensary law providing for the contempt proceedings are in violation of the State and Federal Constitution. This evening the decision of the Chief Justice was read. He orders Sheppard's discharge, but without considering the constitutional questions presented. He simply holds that Judge Bennett was without jurisdiction to pass the injunction order which Sheppard was charged with violating. Judge Bennett is Judge of the First Circuit and held court in this (the Fifth) Circuit under a statute providing an interchange of circuits by the different Judges. The constitutional question is not considered. The order of discharge has not yet been served upon the superintendent of the penitentiary.

SENATOR MARION BUTLER

Attacked President Cleveland in His Speech at Concord.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RALEIGH, N. C., August 14.—Senator Marion Butler, in his speech at Concord, made one of the severest attacks on President Cleveland ever heard in North Carolina. He said: "The man who puts party above principle is the best tool the goldbugs have and the devil never had a better servant than a goldbug. Every bond this Government owes England or any other country or individual is payable in gold or silver at the option of the Government, and it says so on the face of the bond. Yet Cleveland is going to England to get gold when he could pay the bonds in silver. He does not pay them in silver because he is the hireling of the goldbugs. I charge it here, and I'll charge it on the floor of the United States Senate if he sends down his army after me for saying it. If you had an honest man for President he could make the times easier in ten days by calling Congress together to furnish relief. It is not enough to send honest men to Congress. We will never see better times till we drive the traitors out of the White House and get an honest free silver man for President."

Senator Butler was asked, "If the Democratic party would nominate a silver man for President, would you vote for him?" His reply was, "Not if he opposed the income tax or the repeal of the national banking system."

Mr. Butler is here to-night presiding at a conference of leading Populists, among whom are State Treasurer Worth and Congressmen Shuford and Stroud. He declares that the man or party who attempts to prevent the junction of free silver advocates is dead.

A. P. A. TROUBLE.

Members of the Association in Kansas City Will Send an Armed Force to Omaha If Necessary.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

KANSAS CITY, MO., Aug. 14.—Several thousand A. P. A. members in Kansas City are watching the controversy in Omaha with great interest and threatening, if armed force is needed, to go to Omaha in a body. At a meeting of the Advisory Board, composed of the members of each of the twenty-two councils in Jackson county, last night, resolutions were offered declaring that the A. P. A. members in Kansas City are in hearty sympathy with the the "friends" in Omaha, and are ready to help them at any time should help be called for. A teiegram was sent the new Omaha Police Commissioners offering 5,000 men.

BASE BALL.

The Record of the Games Played Yesterday.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Norfolk—Norfolk, 6; Richmond, 1. Second game—Norfolk, 7; Richmond, 0.

Lynchburg—Lynchburg, 6; Petersburg, 2.

Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 5; Washington, 9.

Philadelphia—Philadelphia, 13; New York, 9.

Baltimore—Baltimore, 9; Boston, 2.

Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 2; Pittsburg, 1.

Cleveland—Cleveland, 13, St. Louis, 7.

Roanoke—Roanoke, 4; Portsmouth, 3.

Montgomery—Montgomery, 15; New Orleans, 4.

Atlanta—first game—Atlanta, 15; Nashville, 8. Second game—Atlanta, 8, Nashville, 5.

THE WHISKEY TRUST.

Its Property Sold by Auction—Purchased by the Reorganization Committee.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CHICAGO, Aug. 14.—The end of one of the most remarkable legal fights in the history of corporation litigation came to-day when the property of the Distilling and Cattle Feeding Company, commonly known as the Whiskey Trust, was sold at auction on the court house steps in this city at 11.30 this morning. The sale proved a mere formality, as there were no other bidders besides the reorganization committee, whose bid of $9,800,000, incorporated in the judicial decree of sale, was accepted.

WASHINGTON NEWS.

The Belmont-Morgan Syndicate Strengthening the Gold Reserve—Withdrawals of Gold for Export.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star

WASHINGTON, Aug. 13.—The Treasury's net gold at the close of business to-day, withdrawals and deposits accounted for, stood at $102,581,061.

The Belmont-Morgan syndicate to-day deposited $1,658,000 in gold coin in exchange for U. S. notes.

The withdrawals of gold for shipment to Europe amounted to $1,150,000.

The American schooner Yampa was beaten yesterday in the race with the British schooner Amphitrite.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

TWO MEN LYNCHED.

Father and Son Taken from Jail and Hanged by a Mob.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ELLENSBURG, WASHINGTON, August 14.—At an early hour this morning, Charles Vincent, who shot Mike Koklopp, in a drunken brawl, Sunday, was lynched. A large mob gathered at midnight and attacked the jail about 1 o'clock. The sheriff made resistance, but had a small force of men and was overpowered. Vincent was hanged to a railroad bridge and his body shot full of holes. His hearing was to have taken place to-day. Last night John Burglin, who was stabbed by Vincent's father in the same row, died from his wounds.

Young Vincent had served time in the Oregon penitentiary for burglary.

Within an hour after the younger Vincent was hanged, his father was also taken from jail and hanged beside him.

The sheriff made a strong effort to save the men, but the mob was too strong for him. There was no trouble in gaining access to the jail, but the men were confined in a steel cell, which gave the mob a great deal of trouble in opening it. The Vincents made no fight.

Some of the most prominent citizens in town participated in the lynching. A few were masked, but the majority made no attempt to disguise themselves. There has been a great deal of lawlessness for the past year, and it was the general belief that a sharp lesson was needed by the evil disposed characters who had taken up their quarters in town.

The civil authorities have not yet taken any action in regard to the lynching.

THE CHINESE TROUBLE.

A Mixed Commission to Investigate the Massacres—Cholera at Tien Tsin and Che Foo.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, August 14.—A cablegram received at the State Department to-day from J. Courtney Hixson, United States Consul at Fee Chow, reports the departure from that place of the mixed British and American commission to investigate the Ku-Cheng massacre. Mr. Hixon is a member of the commission and he is accompanied by Ensign Waldo Evans of the Detroit, as the other American representative.

The recognition of the joint commission as an official body whose conclusions shall be binding, has not been accorded by the United States. Such authorization could not be given by Minister Denby, but by the Secretary of State or President only.

Consul Reed, at Tien Tsin, cabled the State Department to-day that there is cholera at Tien Tsin and Che Foo. This information may have a bearing on the Chinese trouble, because the United States flagship Baltimore has gone to Che Foo in order that Admiral Carpenter may be in close telegraphic communication with Minister Denby. The Navy Department is exceedingly careful about allowing naval vessels to remain at an unhealthy port, and the Baltimore and the gunboat Machias, which are at Che Foo, may be compelled to go elsewhere.

WINSTON'S RIOT.

Grand Jury Making Investigation—No Indication of Further Trouble.

By Telegragh to the Morning Star.

WINSTON, N. C., August 14.—The grand jury, which is still in session here, is making a thorough investigation of Sunday night's riot. Everything is quiet here to-night, and there is no indication of any further trouble. The Gatling gun which was brought here from Charlotte will not be returned before to-morrow, and not then if it is deemed best to keep it longer, says Mayor Gray.

It is announced to-night that three negroes were secretly buried by their friends north of Winston last night. They were wounded during the riot. The negroes will reveal nothing regarding the number injured during the trouble.

A grave robber is producing a sensation in Wilkes county, and the citizens are indignant as well as excited over the affair.

WARM WIRELETS.

"Gen." Michael D. Fitzgerald, who led the Coxey commonweal forces from Boston commons to Washington, has been declared insane and taken to an asylum.

At Fairfield, Maine, yesterday three sawmills were destroyed, with valuable contents and quantities of lumber and finished stock. Loss $125,000; insurance $38,000.

George Taylor, forger, buncoist, who swindled the Millersburg, Ky., bank out of $350, escaped from the Paris, Ky., jail last night, taking two other prisoners with him.

Governor Atkinson, of Georgia, has granted a respite for sixty days to Mrs. Nobles and Gus Fambles (colored), sentenced to be hanged on Friday at Jeffersonville, Ga.

Five thousand jacket and pants-makers in New York went on strike yesterday. Besides these, 1,700 other workers classed as unskilled workers are thrown out of work.

The entire business part of the village of Pikeville, Tenn., was destroyed by fire last night. Only one store is left standing. The total losses foot up $83,400, with only $600 insurance.

The *Manufacturers' Record* of this week publishes particulars regarding a new compress for making cylindrical bales, which is being built in Baltimore, to be put in operation first in Arkansas.

George Gaither, negro, arrested at Atlanta, Ga., Monday, on suspicion of being the assailant of Myrtle Reed, a twelve-year old girl of Harrison, Tenn., was released, the girl failing to identify him.

Rev. Dr. William T. Richardson, senior editor of the *Central Presbyterian*, died at his residence in Richmond, Va., last night. He was 75 years of age, and one of the best known ministers in the Southern Presbyterian Church.

A J Salisbury, postmaster at Clay Court House, West Va., is missing. He left a few days ago with Mrs. Vick Cross, a handsome young woman. It is reported he is short about $1,000 in his accounts. He leaves a wife and three children.

Ex-United States Senator S. B. Maxey is lying at the point of death at his home in Paris, Texas. He was a Major-General in the Confederate army, and also fought in the Mexican war. He represented Texas in the United States Senate from 1874 to 1886.

W. M. Elledge, tax collector of Jefferson county, Tennessee, and D. C. Hill, superintendent of public instruction of the same county, have been indicted for raising school warrants. They have secured several thousand dollars in that way. Hill is a brother of G. W. Hill, member of the National Republican Executive Committee of Tennessee.

TO Cleanse the System

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NEW YORK TRUCK MARKET.

Full and Reliable Reports of Markets For Southern Fruits and Vegetables.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, Aug 14.—Pears quiet; especially under qualities. Peaches plentiful; demand comparatively moderate and prices easy. Grapes steady for Delaware. Watermelons firmer; demand good and receipts light. Muskmelons quiet and easy. Huckleberries, quart, 5 to 7 cents. Pears—Le Conte, barrel, 75c to $1.25; do Bartlett, crate, 50 to 75 cents. Grapes, carrier, $1.50 to 2.00, South Carolina; do North Carolina, carrier, $1.00 to 2.00; do Virginia basket, 12 to 25 cents; do Maryland and Delaware, case, 75c to $1.00. Peaches—carrier, $1.25 to 2.50; basket, 40c to 1.00. Watermelons—100, $12 to 16; do car load, $150 to 250. Muskmelons—barrel, 40c to $1 50; do carrier, 50c to $1.50. Plums—Delaware, Japanese, basket, 20 to 25 cents; do quart, 4 to 5 cents. Potatoes—sweet, barrel, $1.00 to 2.75.

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Stedman,	7.25 "	1 00	1 25
Autryville,	7.32 "	1 00	1 25
Roseboro,	7.52 "	1 00	1 25
Parkersburg,	8.05 "	90	1 15
Garland,	8.18 "	90	1 15
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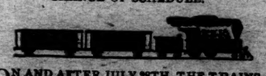

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